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Suit for Fifty Dollars Cash Falls Flat.

[BY NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
CITY (Okla.) Feb. 18. States Senator Thomas was exonerated late ...ges of improper conduct ...t in his favor returned in ...Court in the suit for $50,- ...instituted by Mrs. Minnie ...Oklahoma City.
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AVIATION TOO TAME.

Ballyhoo Men in Chicago Are in Search of a Real Thriller.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Side-show men, street carnival promoters and "Ballyhoolsts" haunted the Auditorium Hotel today where the American Association of State Fairs and Expositions was in session. They complained that some of their best thrillers were rejected because they were too tame. These included aeroplane flights upside down, performers dining on slack wires and other death-daring acts. They were told that the country people demanded something new and bizarre and that aeroplane flights were old stuff in the rural districts.

Problem.

WILSON FAVORS RATE INCREASE.

SAID TO HAVE EXPRESSED HIMSELF TO SENATORS.

President Holds Conference with Chairman of Interstate Commerce Commission on the Proposed Advance in Freight Tariffs Sought by Eastern Railroads.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—President Wilson sent today for Chairman Clark of the Interstate Commerce Commission and they had a half hour's conference, the exact nature of which was not revealed.

Varying reports that the President had expressed to Mr. Clark an opinion on the merits of the proposed advances in freight rates sought by the eastern railroads brought forth a denial from Chairman Clark. Mr. Clark learned, however, according to officials that the President hoped for an early decision of the rate problem.

It was learned at the White House, however, that in casual talk with Senators who had mentioned the subject the President had expressed himself as believing an increase of some kind in rates would be justified.

WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

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...Peace Officers' Association of ...elected officers here yesterday ...annual convention.

...Supervisors bonds for the harbor ...ordered for sale.

...CALIFORNIA. The ...Pasadena youth who ...shot a dog died last night. ...has been filed against the ...

...Rhine found a purse con- ...money and cards bearing the ...name of Irene Vanderbilt. As no one of that name could be found, the police suspect that a tragedy may have been enacted.

A Santa Monica woman was struck by a car during the rainstorm yesterday. She was carrying an umbrella, which prevented her seeing an approaching train.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Lord and Lady Decies arrived in Santa Barbara yesterday on their way to Los Angeles.

The books of the Western Fuel Company were seized to lay the foundation for a suit based on alleged income tax frauds.

A woman lawyer has been appointed Assistant United States District Attorney in San Francisco.

The Hart initiative ordinance was carried Tuesday at Oakland by 2000 votes.

A severe earthquake shock was felt yesterday in Nevada.

GENERAL EASTERN. A divorce on the ground of desertion has been granted in Paris to Clarence H. Mackay, who retains the custody of the children.

Col. Goethals promised that the ship making the first official trip through the Panama Canal shall carry the peace flag

WASHINGTON. The House passed the Alaska bill after a sharp fight, eliminating the bond issue feature.

The Interstate Commerce Commission decided certain freight tariffs charged by the Southern Pacific from California to Arizona are unjust.

Secretaries McAdoo and Houston said yesterday their trip showed them that the new Federal reserve banking law solved the problem of the nation's prosperity.

MEXICO. A Hachita (N. M.) dispatch last night identified the bandit Castillo with the Socialists. Castillo boasts he is running a separate revolution in Mexico.

Reports in Juarez intimate that Gen. Villa was cognizant of the plot to blow up the Cumbre tunnel.

FOREIGN. The French government has been asked to take a hand in restoring peace in Mexico.

The Japanese legation has raised a protest over the Standard Oil contract obtained with the Chinese government.

The Times does justice to himself will not depend wholly upon the ...ments therein though it is, but will take in the complete news ...which cannot be luminously summarized, epitomized or classified.

Innovation.

ALASKA LINE IS ASSURED.

Railway Bill Passes Both Houses.

Government Ownership as an Experiment to Be Tried in Arctic Land.

Thirty-five Million Dollars to Be Expended from the Current Funds.

Venture Expected to Open a Vast Country Tributary to Pacific States.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The administration Alaskan Railroad Bill, authorizing the President to construct a $35,000,000 railroad from Alaska's coast to its great coal fields, was passed by the House late today by a vote of 230 to 87.

A similar measure already has passed the Senate and the bill will be taken up at once in conference between the two houses, with a view to sending it to the President, who has signified his intention of signing it.

At the eleventh hour, after a sharp parliamentary skirmish, the House eliminated from the bill as reported by the Territories Committee a provision authorizing a bond issue of $35,000,000 to finance the railroad and to be paid off by the proceeds of government land sales in Alaska. The Senate bill provided for a $40,000,000 bond issue. Representative Fitzgerald of New York led a fight which resulted in striking out the bond provision.

Under the amended measure the project would be financed out of the current funds in the treasury, the total being limited to $35,000,000, and $1,000,000 being appropriated for immediate expenses. Congress would appropriate each year the amount estimated to be necessary for the construction of the road.

The bill provides for the construction of a road "not to exceed 1000 miles, to be so located as to connect one or more of the open Pacific Ocean harbors on the southern coast of Alaska with the navigable waters in the interior of Alaska, and with a coal field or fields yielding coal sufficient in quality and quantity for naval use, so as to best aid in the development of the agricultural and mineral or other resources of Alaska."

An effort was made by the opponents of the bill to postpone the final vote on the measure until next Wednesday.

The project is of more interest than even the expenditure of the $35,000,000 proposed would ordinarily create. Coming so soon after the completion of the Panama Canal, it is attracting attention as another great engineering project under the direction of the American government. Moreover, the project is to be the first test in this country of government ownership of a public utility; it is expected to open to the commerce of the world great and rich resources that until now have been for the most part lying idle.

The bill directs the President to locate and acquire by purchase or construction a line or lines of railroads from tidewater into the interior of Alaska and to navigation on the Yukon, Tanana or Kuskokwim rivers. In choosing the route he is to use his judgment as to what will best promote the settlement of Alaska, develop its resources and provide adequate transportation for coal for the army and navy, for troops and for munitions of war and for the mails.

The total of all railroads bought or constructed is not to exceed 1000 miles, and the appropriation for the purpose is $35,000,000, so that he is limited to an expense of $35,000 a mile.

The President is authorized to permit the government railroad to be operated by contract or lease or it may be operated by the Panama Railroad Company. This latter company has been referred to in the debates on the Alaska Railroad Bill as an example of successful government ownership.

In constructing and operating the Alaskan Railroad the president is authorized to employ any number of men he may think necessary, choosing them as he pleases, only that those chosen from civil life shall be under the supervision in the work of construction of the engineers taken from the army. The appointment of any engineer from civil life whose salary exceeds $3000 a year must be confirmed by the Senate.

The President is authorized to utilize in Alaska all the machinery and equipment used in the construction of the Panama Canal as rapidly as it is not needed in Panama and can be used in Alaska. The President is to fix the price to be paid for it to the Isthmian Canal Commission.

The Interstate Commerce Commission, subject to the approval of the President, is empowered to regulate passenger and freight rates on the new railroad.

If the railroad line connects with a steamship line the joint transportation of freight and passengers with lines so connected must be operated as a through route, with through rates on a fair and reasonable apportionment of revenue and expense.

The bill creates the "Alaska railways redemption fund," into which is to be paid 85 per cent. of all money received from the sale or lease of public lands in Alaska; from the sale of coal or mineral or timber on public lands; and from the net earnings of the railroad above maintenance charges and operating expenses. The redemption fund is to be drawn on by order of the President.

PRINCE OF WALES GIVES AID.

Takes Man Home in His Auto Whose Leg Was Broken When Horse Plunged.

[BY CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OXFORD, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Prince of Wales gave prompt aid to the driver of a carriage injured by being thrown out of his vehicle when the horse was frightened by the tooting of the horn of the auto in which the Prince was going fox hunting. The horse tried to jump a hedge when the horn was sounded and the driver was thrown and a leg broken. The Prince took him into his auto and sped to the nearest village. Not finding a surgeon there he took the sufferer to another village and left him in charge of a physician. The Prince then continued on his way to the hunt stand.

PASADENA WOMAN DIES.

Mrs. Josephine M. Whitcomb, Said to Be from California, Passes Away in New York.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Josephine M. Whitcomb died in the New York Hospital Tuesday from bichloride of mercury poisoning. She was brought to the hospital the day before from the Pennsylvania Railroad station. She had taken bichloride tablets while aboard the train, but whether intentionally or by mistake for vional, a drug which she carried in a handbag, is not known.

It is said Mrs. Whitcomb had come from Pasadena, Cal. She had with her curios that would indicate she had traveled from California.

STATE FACES DEFICIT.

Governor of West Virginia Declares Strike Cost $500,000 and Prohibition Will Decrease Revenue.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHARLESTON (W. Va.) Feb. 18. Gov. Henry D. Hatfield, in a statement issued last night, declared that the reason the $75,000 appropriated for a West Virginia building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco is not available is because of the deficit facing the State Treasury. Should all appropriations be paid West Virginia's Treasury will have a deficit of more than $1,200,000 in 1915.

The Governor says the Paint Creek strike cost $500,000 and that prohibition will result in a decrease in State revenues of more than $612,000 annually.

French Court Divides Millionaire's Family.

Mrs. Mackay and her children,

Who will be parted in the future, as the decree of a Paris tribunal has granted the custody of the minors to the father.

Objection.

TAKE HOLIDAY FROM STUDENTS.

ACTION BY U. OF C. HEADS AROUSES RESENTMENT.

University Authorities Announce that February 23 Will Not Be Observed in Honor of George Washington—Law Department Men Ask that Decision Be Reconsidered.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERKELEY, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Considerable resentment to the announcement by the authorities at the University of California that next Monday would not be observed as a holiday at the State institution was expressed among the student body this morning, when confronted by the notice in the columns of their daily paper.

First-year students in the law department drafted and presented to the authorities the following resolution, signed by over a hundred law students:

"Wishing to honor and revere the birthday of that great American, George Washington, the very mention of whose name stirs the latent patriotism in the heart of every true citizen of the republic, we, the patriotic members of the first-year law class, request that the anniversary of his birthday, February 22, be observed as a holiday in the law school on February 23."

Incompatible.

THE MACKAYS DIVORCED UNDER THE FRENCH LAW.

Frederic R. Coudert, Counsel for the Millionaire American, Announces that by Agreement a Decree on the Ground of Desertion Has Been Entered in France, Giving the Father Custody of the Children.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Announcement was made tonight by Frederick R. Coudert, counsel for Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company, that by agreement a divorce had just been obtained by Mrs. Mackay, who has taken up her residence in Paris. The decree was granted under the French law for desertion, Mr. Mackay also having a residence in France. Mr. Mackay retains possession of his three children.

Statements concerning the decree, which are practically the same, were issued tonight by counsel for both sides. Coudert, represented Mr. Mackay, the proceedings having been conducted in the French courts by Coudert Brothers in Paris. John B. Stanchfield, as her attorney, gave the version in behalf of Mrs. Mackay.

COUDERT'S STATEMENT.

Coudert made the following statement:

"On February 11, the French courts granted a mutual divorce to Mr. and Mrs. Mackay in an action brought by Mrs. Mackay on the ground of desertion, Mr. Mackay having interposed a counter-claim on the same grounds. No other charge was involved. The decree grants the full custody and control of the three children to Mr. Mackay with the right to visit them accorded to Mrs. Mackay."

STANCHFIELD'S STATEMENT.

The statement from the offices of Mr. Stanchfield is as follows:

"In December last Mrs. Mackay went to Europe and took up her residence in an apartment at Paris, which she had held under lease for a considerable period of time. She brought suit in the Tribunal of the Seine against Mr. Mackay on the grounds of desertion. He voluntarily appeared in the action and interposed a counter-claim alleging desertion on the part of the plaintiff. No other charge was involved. The court, as is the practice in France, endeavored to bring about reconciliation. Being unable to accomplish such a result, a divorce was granted on or about the 11th of February to each of the parties. The custody of the children was awarded to Mr. Mackay with the right to Mrs. Mackay to 'see them at all reasonable times.'"

FINANCIAL SETTLEMENT.

No statement could be obtained as to what financial settlement had been made, but it is understood on good authority that ample provision had been made for Mrs. Mackay in accordance with a private arrangement. The procedure of granting a mutual decree is unknown in the American courts, but in other respects practically the same rules obtain in the two countries.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackay were married on May 17, 1898. Within the last few months there had been occurrences which indicated that there was a disagreement between them, such as the giving up of her dower rights in the estate at Roslyn and the placing of that property in the hands of trustees.

Mrs. Blake, the wife of Dr. Joseph A. Blake, a surgeon of this city, brought an action last summer against Mrs. Mackay for the sum of $1,000,000, alleging that the affections of her husband had been alienated. To this Mrs. Mackay made the reply that Mrs. Blake was unreasonably jealous and that Dr. and Mrs. Blake had been separated for years before she met the surgeon.

Mrs. Blake caused this suit to be placed on file last October and the next month withdrew it, saying that she did so of her own free will and without any settlement.

Standard.

CHINESE OIL CONTRACT AROUSES JAPANESE IRE.

[BY CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PEKING (China) Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Japanese legation will make a formal protest tomorrow against the Standard Oil Company's contract with the Chinese government. It is asserted that the agreement infringes obligations entered into between officials of the Manchu dynasty and Japanese subjects who have worked the oil fields in Northern Chili and Central Shensi for seven years. The secrecy observed as to the Standard Oil Company's agreement is criticized here. It is believed, in spite of official denials, that a cash advance is to be made to the Chinese government by the company.

MARYLAND KILLS SUFFRAGE.

House of Delegates Sits on Proposed Constitutional Suffrage Amendment by a Decisive Vote.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ANNAPOLIS (Md.) Feb. 18.—The woman suffrage bill was killed today in the House of Delegates by a vote of 60 to 34. The measure provided for the Submission of a Constitutional amendment to give the women a right to vote. It was unfavorably reported.

His Thumb Mark.

IDENTIFIED AS A RED.

Castillo Admits He Is a Socialist.

Mexican Atilla Boasts that He Is Running a Separate Revolution.

Wants a Karl Marx to Rule Over the Destinies of the Republic.

British Subject Who Sassed Gen. Villa Mysteriously Disappears.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HACHITA (N. M.) Feb. 18.—Maximo Castillo, the bandit, was brought here today by United States troops. With him were his brother, his trumpeter and the latter's wife, and two Indian women. None was mounted.

The bandit apparently was not averse to placing himself under the protection of the United States. His band, which, for months has harassed settlers, held prisoners for ransom, burned, sacked and stolen in a career which culminated in the Cumbre tunnel disaster, is scattered and believed to be broken.

Since Cumbre he has not known rest and seemed on the verge of nervous breakdown when brought here. Villa's rebels have been hot on his trail, and along the American border hard-riding American troopers kept sleepless watch. Finally, he chose capture by the latter as his fate.

On his person Lieut. Rothwell found the check for $1000 given him by W. A. Roxby as a ransom. Roxby, American manager of a Mexican ranch, was held up by Castillo a week or more ago. He is in El Paso, where the bank has been instructed not to honor the check.

Castillo vehemently asserted his innocence of complicity in the Cumbre tragedy. He said he is a Socialist and is conducting a separate revolution in order to attain that form of government for Mexico.

Castillo will be interned tomorrow at the Mexican prison camp at Ft. Bliss, according to information received today by Gen. Hugh L. Scott.

HE SASSED VILLA; NOW HE'S MISSING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Feb. 18.—Thomas D. Edwards, United States Consul here, succeeded today in seeing Gustav Bauch, the American whom the rebels are trying on a charge of being a spy.

Whereabouts of William S. Benton, the British subject who was arrested last night, could not be learned. Gen. Villa said he was not locked up, but meanwhile his friends made a fruitless search for him, and his wife in El Paso was suffering the greatest anxiety.

Bauch, according to his sister, Mrs. J. M. Patterson, was born in New Iberia, La., and was a mere baby when his father, William Bauch, left that city twenty-five years ago, and came to Eagle Pass., Tex. The father is a resident of Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, across the Rio Grande from Eagle Pass.

Senor Ramon, chief of the rebel secret service, conducted the American Consul and two reporters into the dilapidated and gloomy cuartel, where a company of soldiers is quartered.

The visitors were led into a dark angle of the building, where they were cautioned that the prisoner was incommunicado. Then from somewhere out of the deeper darkness beyond, like a rat from its hole, the prisoner appeared.

His round face, fringed by a ring of beard, was a perfect picture of fright until he saw that his visitors included Americans. Till then he had no way of knowing that he was not being brought out to be executed.

A rebel officer spoke sharply to him in Spanish, warning him to say nothing. The young man blinked at the feeble ray of light which penetrated from a dusty pane, and a choking sound came from his throat. Then he replied to the officer that he understood.

Senor Ramon explained that Bauch's case was still being heard and that it is the rule to hold prisoners incommunicado until decision is rendered.

Nowhere in Juarez could reporters find an official to explain adequately the charge against the prisoner, but Senor Ramon said that there was much documentary evidence which seemed to incriminate him as a spy.

He has worked on Mexican railroads most of his life and his captors believed him to be a Mexican, despite his fair skin and brown hair, till representations to the contrary were made. Mrs. Patterson has telegraphed to New Iberia for proofs of his birth.

BENTON'S CASE.

Benton's case is not without an element of humor. He is a Scotchman and known to be very outspoken. Last night he went to Gen. Villa to protest against the action of rebels who tore down a fence of his big ranch near Chihuahua and pastured their horses on his property.

He insisted that Villa remove the horses and repair the fence. Villa's answer was not satisfactory to Benton, who indifferent to the hostile surroundings and his unprotected state, unburdened his mind of a variety of grievances collected against rebels of the various revolts of the last three years. He called Villa a

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Circumstantial.

SUSPECT VILLA AS ACCESSORY.

Rebels Show Little Interest in Castillo Capture.

Six Americans Arrested on General's Instigation.

All Are Later Released by Consul's Intervention.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Asserting that his life had been placed in jeopardy on account of a plot to kill him by means of lyddite shells, Gen. Villa caused the incarceration of six American citizens last night and today, apparently in hopes of obtaining evidences of espionage. Two of the prisoners were reputable newspaper men and on one was found a bundle of clippings taken from the Los Angeles Times.

Thanks to the activity of the United States consular service, all the Americans, as far as known, were released at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

REPORT FILIBUSTERERS.

The Constitutionalist headquarters at that hour was characterized by extreme anxiety owing to the report that a band of filibusterers had crossed from the United States into Mexico at a point known as Guadalupe and that they had already captured the town of Guzman on the Northwestern Railroad, about eighty miles south of this city. The first reports of the capture of Guadalupe indicated that the town had been taken by an advance guard of Gen. Carranza and while there is no evidence to refute this fact, it is announced tonight that the leader who captured the garrison at that place is named Rodrigo Quevado, a brother of the former editor of Nueva Era, published in Mexico City under the Madero regime, but who has since allied himself with the fortunes of Gen. Carranza.

Rodrigo Quevada formerly was a Federal volunteer commander and with him his brother was prominent in the Orosco revolution. At first both brothers took sides with Huerta, but since that time it is said that they have cast their fortunes with the Constitutionalists.

QUEVADO'S INTENTIONS.

According to news received tonight at the Constitutionalist headquarters it is the intention of Quevado's band to cross to Las Palomas, where they will be met by a large number of volunteers, but at the present time it is not known whether Quevado has allied himself with the Federals or with Carranza.

The fact that Villa has shown a lively interest in effecting the capture of Quevado seems to indicate that the latter has joined the forces of Huerta or is working under cover in the interest of Carranza.

CASTILLO'S CAPTURE.

The report of the capture of Maximo Castillo failed to arouns much imo Castillo among the Constitutionalist commanders, owing to the belief that Villa was cognizant of the Cumbre outrage, even if he was not the instigator of the destruction of the tunnel.

It is reported here today that if Castillo is delivered to Villa it is probable the bandit will be executed without mercy for the purpose of removing a political rival from the field of action. Friends of Castillo who knew of his loyalty to the late President Madero, called upon Villa this afternoon, but received little consolation. When a subject of Holland declared that Castillo would be made a martyr of the revolution, he was invited to cross into the United States without loss of time.

A 7 o'clock tonight the confidants of Villa announced that he had prepared his departure for the south in a few hours.

FEDERAL OFFICERS ESCAPE.

Gen. Terrazas and Maj. Gonzales Make Their Getaway from Prison Camp at Ft. Bliss.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FT. BLISS (Tex.) Feb. 18.—Gen. Felix Terrazas and a Maj. Gonzales escaped last night from the prison camp here and no trace of them has been discovered. Their absence was noted at roll call this morning.

Gen. Scott notified Gen. Villa by telephone in order to obtain his cooperation in apprehending the fugitives. The two generals are well acquainted over the telephone, but have never met.

Terrazas is the first general of the nine interned here to get away. He was taken into custody with 5000 others of the Mexican Federal army who crossed into Texas after their defeat at Ojinaga.

FRENCH ARE ASKED TO AID IN MEXICO.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Feb. 18.—Resolutions urging the French government to take concerted action with the United States and the European powers to re-establish order and security in Mexico were passed today by the National Committee of Councilliors of French Foreign Commerce.

Measures to protect French residents and economic interests also were urged on the government.

¶ The Los Angeles Times not only prints the biggest newspaper in the world every day in the year, but it is read by more home-loving and law-abiding people than any other newspaper on the Pacific Coast. A recognition of these facts by shrewd and far-seeing advertisers, and the responsiveness of the paper's readers to the appeals of its advertisers, constitute reasons for The Times' phenomenal advertising patronage.

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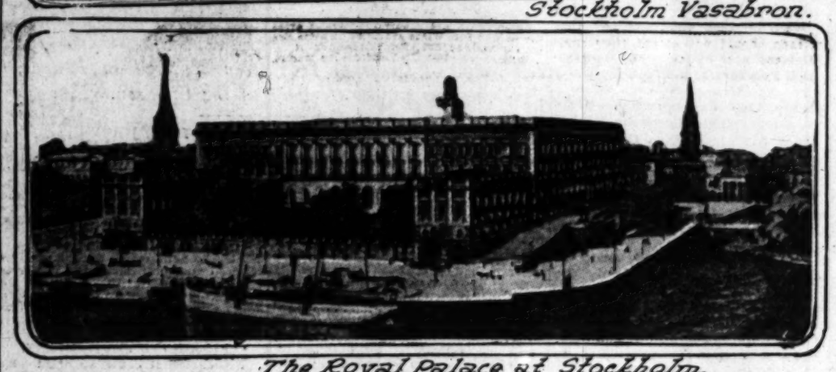

The Royal Palace at Stockholm.

Scandinavians show their teeth.

In fear of Russian aggression the Swedes are reported to be arming themselves for any sort of an emergency. The upper picture is that of King Gustaf of Sweden who has made himself immensely popular with the people by receiving a delegation of peasants and land owners with prayers to improve the national defense. The lower pictures show scenes in Stockholm, the capital of Sweden.

Mexico.

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number of names, of which "bandit" was one of the mildest.

Villa is sensitive of his record as an outlaw, which he was for many years, and rose as if to strike his accuser. The latter also was ready with his fists, but bystanders interfered and Benton was marched off to jail.

RETURNS FROM MISSION.

Under Secretary of State in Japan Is Expected in Washington Today From Mexico City.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Masanao Hanihara, Under Secretary of State in Japan, is expected here tomorrow from Mexico City, where he has been on a special mission observing conditions. Because of his long acquaintance with American affairs, begun here when he was first Secretary and charge of the embassy, officials expect to get some first-hand views of the situation. His visit will be personal, it was said today, and he expects to sail from San Francisco for Japan in about ten days.

Sir Lionel Carden, the British Minister to Mexico, is expected early in March. His visit will be short, and aside from a talk with President Wilson, it is unlikely that he will see many officials.

FILIBUSTERERS HEARD FROM.

Villa Sends Special Train After Tropp Which Made the Break at Ysleta.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Feb. 18.—The band of Mexican filibusterers who rushed across the river from Ysleta, Tex., last Wednesday night, eluding the American troops sent in pursuit, occupied last night Guzman, a station on the Mexico and Northwestern Railroad, eighty-three miles south of here, according to information received today by Gen. Villa.

A special train with 100 soldiers was dispatched from here to capture them. Guzman is a deserted village and there is no garrison there.

The filibusterers are commanded by Gen. Rodrigo Quevedo. His chief lieutenants are his brother, Sylvestre, and Col. Jose Orozco, a cousin of Pascual Orozco. All are Federals.

Praise.

LADY DECIES LAUDS BELLES.

DECLARES CALIFORNIA GIRLS EXCEL EASTERNERS.

Former Vivien Gould at Santa Barbara on Her Way to Los Angeles Says Open-Air Life of Golden State Has Produced Type that Approaches Perfection.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Many distinguished people visiting California have sung the glories of the State, declaring it to be without a peer, because of its climatic perfections and its natural loveliness, but it remained for Lady Decies, formerly Vivien Gould of New York, to point out that no State in the Union, New York—her birthplace—notwithstanding, has produced the feminine beauty seen in California.

Arriving here early today en route from San Francisco to Los Angeles, Lady Decies, accompanied by her husband, Lord Decies, in her private car this afternoon, talked freely on the subject of "American girls."

"I must say that I have noticed a great difference in the girl of the West and the girl of the East," said her ladyship. "The girl of the East is pretty and attractive in her way. She dresses in the height of fashion and looks lovely, but there is a difference. The California girl has the bloom of health and vigor on her cheeks which is rarely to be found in New York and other eastern cities I have visited.

"Then there is a certain chicness about the western girl that the eastern girl may imitate, but never duplicate. I suppose it is due to the fact that the western girls live all the time in the open. They are an exemplification of nature, and it would not matter much how they were dressed, you could not cheat them out of their natural loveliness.

"The hospitality of the Westerner is so marked in contrast with that of the Easterner. In the West the people seem to be in unison in their extension of friendship. In the East it is necessary to be known and have letters of recommendation. Out here everybody is friendly. Each seems to be trying to vie with the other in extending the glad hand of fellowship."

Lord and Lady Decies have planned to leave Santa Barbara on the first train departing for the south. It was their wish to spend a couple of days here enjoying the pretty sights in Santa Barbara, Montecito and surrounding country, but a rainy period prevented it.

Lady Decies said this afternoon that she wanted to be back in New York by March 11, when she and her husband expect to sail for London. They plan to go to Los Angeles for a couple of days and then go to Coronado for a week.

Lord Decies is an enthusiastic polo player, but said he would not indulge in the great game while in the Southland.

Daring.

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SON-IN-LAW OF ROCKEFELLER PLANS A TRIP.

Chicago Millionaire Enthusiast Declares with the Largest Machine Ever Built and with Beachey and Others He Will Cross the Atlantic from Florida.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Harold F. McCormick, aeroplane enthusiast and son-in-law of John D. Rockfeller, who already has installed hydro-aeroplane transportation from his home in a northern suburb to downtown Chicago, has planned to fly across the Atlantic Ocean in the largest aeroplane yet built, according to information which reached here today.

McCormick, with Charles Dickinson, president of the Chicago Aeroplane Club, is now on his way to Miami, Fla., according to the dispatch, where the plans for building and launching the trans-Atlantic aeroplane are to be perfected.

According to information given out here, C. C. Witmer, Lincoln Beachey and Tony Steadman are to be the pilots in the flight with Jay J. McCarthy as navigator. Gasoline tanks which can be dropped when their contents are exhausted were said to be an integral part of the equipment proposed for the giant aeroplane, whose wings will spread forty-eight feet from tip to tip. A wireless outfit with a hundred-mile radius of efficiency will also be part of the equipment.

Hostile.

THREAT TO KILL O'SHAUGHNESSY.

MEXICAN NEWSPAPER EDITOR WATCHED BY POLICE.

Protest to Washington Which Is Forwarded at Once to Huerta Bears Fruit and Effort Is Made to Quell Anti-American Spirit in Capital.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 18.—President Wilson, through Nelson O'Shaughnessy, the American charge d'affaires, is insisting that President Huerta and Gen. Villa, the rebel leader, agree upon the maintenance of a neutral zone at Torreon in which foreigners and other non-combatants may have some degree of safety in the event of a battle.

President Huerta has agreed to the plan conditional upon Gen. Villa's acquiescence in it. It is understood agents of the United States are making representations to Gen. Huerta for the establishment of the zone. There is nothing here to indicate there will be serious fighting at Torreon for several days.

Salvador Diaz Miron, editor of El Imparcial, has been placed under police surveillance because of the report he had threatened to kill Mr. O'Shaughnessy, who recently protested to President Huerta concerning the character of a series of anti-Wilson editorials appearing in El Imparcial. It appears, however, that the most serious threat made by Miron was that he "would repeat to Mr. O'Shaughnessy's face what he had written in editorials."

The charge takes the editor seriously and has reported the incident to Washington. The State Department has assured him it approves of his protest and that the American government intends to give him and his family protection.

Indicative of the slightly increased anti-American spirit, there appeared today the first issue of a weekly magazine, the purpose of which it is announced is to attack Washington's Mexican policy. Most of the cartoons are directed against Mr. Lind, President Wilson's personal representative.

The main line of railroad from the capital to the United States, which was open for several days, is again interrupted between San Luis Potosi and Saltillo, and the rebels are reported to be assembling around the former city.

CASTILLO A PROBLEM.

In the Meantime Bandit Will Be Detained in Custody the Same as Salazar and Federal Soldiers.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Capture of Maximo Castillo, the Mexican bandit chief charged with responsibility for the Cumbre tunnel tragedy, on American soil, has furnished a knotty problem for officials here. From the moment Gen. Bliss reported today that Castillo and his companions had been taken by the border patrol in New Mexico there were conferences between the State and War Department officials to determine what should be done with the prisoners, who are to be held temporarily at Ft. Bliss.

As the charge against Castillo was committed in Mexico, American courts are without jurisdiction, although many of the victims were Americans. The State Department has been appealed to, and pending its final decision, it is the intention of the War Department to detain Castillo and his party in custody under the same conditions as Gen. Salazar and the Federal soldiers, who came across the international line with arms in hand, thereby subjecting themselves to internment.

A persistent cough should not be neglected. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure it.—[Advertisement.

Forceful.

NEW SWEDISH CABINET HEADED BY FINANCIER.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 18.—The new Cabinet selected by Dr. Knut Hammarskjoeld at the request of King Gustave is officially announced as follows:

Premier and Minister of War, Dr. Hammarskjoeld.

Foreign Affairs, K. A. Wallenberg.

Marine, M. Brostroom.

Finance, M. Vennersten.

Interior, O. F. von Sydow, Governor of Norrbottem.

Justice, Chief Justice Hassebrot.

Agriculture, Baron Beckfrills.

Education, Prof. Westman.

Col. Moercke has been appointed consulting councillor.

The opponents of the government agree that all the ministers are able men, but as their adherents will be in the minority in the second chamber there will be little chance of the passage of the defense bill, in support of which the new Cabinet will devote its energies. Early dissolution is therefore inevitable. The greatest activity prevails in all political quarters in preparation for new elections, which will doubtless be preceded by a heated constitutional struggle.

Both the King and ex-Premier Staaf are daily receiving addresses and telegrams of sympathy.

King Gustave looked ill and tired today when he received in audience ex-Premier Staaf and the retiring ministry. Afterwards he held the first council of the new ministers, who took the oath of allegiance.

It is understood that M. Wallenberg, who is a financier and banker, is the strong man of the Cabinet, and will dictate its policy. The new ministry will advocate double the present expenditure on the forces for defense.

Theory.

ATTEMPT TO KILL HUERTA CHARGED TO A STRANGER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 18.—David Guzman, a stranger in the capital, was held tonight at police headquarters while police investigated a theory that he was attempting to assassinate President Huerta. Guzman was arrested at the National Palace after having been refused an audience with the President and Gen. Blanquet, Minister of War.

It is said that when Guzman was searched a dagger was found and that in his pockets were a letter from rebel sympathizers in Guadalajara and a list of addresses of members of the Cabinet and other prominent residents in the capital.

Guzman, who is young and well dressed, denied he intended to assassinate President Huerta.

Grilled.

WILSON A RAILROAD TOOL INTIMATED BY BRISTOW

Declares President Is Inconsistent in His Views of Binding Effect of Democratic Platform in Penalizing Audacity of Great Britain to Compel Him to Reverse Party's Attitude on Panama Tolls Question.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Accusing President Wilson of inconsistency in his views of the binding effect of the Democratic platform and charging that "greed of the railroads and the audacious claims of Great Britain seem far more potent with our President than the appeal of the womanhood of the nation," Senator Bristow, Republican, of Kansas, turned discussion of woman suffrage in the Senate today into a vigorous debate on the proposed repeal of the free tolls provision of the Panama Canal Act.

Senator Bristow's attack brought to the defense of the President several Republican as well as Democratic Senators. It served also as the signal for opening the fight within the Democratic party against repeal of the tolls exemption provision. Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, Democrat, dramatically declared he would not "stultify" himself by telling his constituents that he had not kept his platform pledge on the tolls question "because the President of the United States does not agree with me."

While Senators were thus engaged in the first open discussion of the approaching battle in Congress over the Chief Executive's desire for reversal of the Panama tolls policy the President himself was engaged with leaders of the House of Representatives who are opposed to repealing the declaration of the party platform. He discussed the situation with Majority Leader Underwood and Representative Kitchin of North Carolina, but so far as could be learned, did not convert them to his view, that the provision granting free tolls to American vessels violates the Hay-Pauncefote treaty and embarrasses the administration in its foreign relations.

BRISTOW'S CHARGE.

Senator Bristow based his charge of inconsistency against the President on the ground that he had told the suffragists he could not advocate their cause because the Democratic party had not expressed itself on the question, while he proposed that Congress should reverse itself on the tolls question, despite the fact that the party had indorsed its action. In this connection the Kansas Senator mentioned the reference in the Baltimore platform favoring "a single Presidential term," and asked whether the President would "interpret this plank in harmony with his position as to suffrage, or as to canal tolls."

When Senator Bristow asserted that the transcontinental railroads had for years been behind the fight against free tolls for American ships, and intimated that they had influenced the President, Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, Republican member of the Foreign Relations Committee, took the floor to declare that the President was actuated in his attitude on the toll question solely by his desire to restore the United States to its former prestige among nations. "The President does not like to see the United States an outlaw among the nations," added the Massachusetts Senator.

Referring to the visit of women suffragists to President Wilson last December, Senator Bristow quoted from the Chief Executive's reply to their request for support of the equal suffrage constitutional amendment:

"When my private opinion is asked by those who are co-operating with me I am glad to give it, but I am not at liberty until I speak for somebody besides myself to urge legislation upon Congress."

When the tolls question came up, the Kansas Senator continued, it was not brought before the President "by the good women of the country, but by a representative of the English government whose action had been instituted by the American and Canadian transcontinental railroads and British shipping interests." He quoted the Baltimore platform in its indorsement of the tolls exemption policy for American ships and asserted that the President, in a recent letter to Mr. Marbury of Baltimore had declared the exemption to be a "very mistaken policy from every point of view."

"It is true that we have expended about $400,000,000 of our own money in constructing this canal in our territory and that the Democratic House of Representatives, a Republican Senate by an overwhelming majority, Mr. Taft, the President of the United States, and the Democratic National Convention, all thought we had a perfect right to permit our own ships engaged in our domestic commerce to go through free of tolls if we saw fit to do so. But England claims that this must not be done without her consent, though her ships cannot engage in our domestic commerce, and she has not directly or indirectly invested a dollar in the construction of the canal."

Concluding after frequent interruptions, the Kansas Senator declared that "the fight to save the grip of the transcontinental railroads cannot be hidden behind our relations to foreign countries in the skirts of the President of the United States."

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CHAMBERLAIN'S VIEW.

Senator Chamberlain of Oregon, who voiced the first formal opposition to the President within the Democratic ranks, said:

"It is a matter of history that the railways of this country, particularly the transcontinental railroads, prevented the construction of the Panama Canal for years, and when the question of granting exemption to vessels freedom from tolls was under discussion here in the Senate many of us who knew the history of the railway companies could not be in any of the galleries and not see the faces of Mr. Schwerin and other men who were lobbying for the railway companies here and defeating this part of the Panama Canal bill. Having failed to defeat the building of the canal, they now have entered the field of diplomacy.

"Where are we going to stop? Are we going to listen to any argument which may be made by Britain that some foreign power against whose owned ships passing through the canal? That violates the treaty as much as the free-tolls provision. Are we going to dismantle our battleships and other vessels must pay the tolls? Any nation may say that they will not abide by a treaty with as much force as Great Britain now protests to us."

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Senator McCumber, Republican, replied briefly in the President's defense, declaring he did not believe Senator Bristow in charging that the President was the tool of the transcontinental railroads.

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Col. Goethals Promises Making First Official Trip Through Canal Shall Carry Banner.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Col. George W. G. MacDowell, president of the American League of Peace, received a message today from Col. George W. Goethals, chief engineer of the Panama Canal, in which the colonel promised that the peace flag on the first vessel passing the official and commercial parade through the canal.

After receiving the message MacDowell sent another to Col. Goethals. C. Moore of the Panama Exposition, saying:

"The League of Peace has offered for the airship race around the world, two peace flags to be flown, one flag to be that of the country from which the contestant starts, the other a rainbow flag to be awarded the winner are to be flown from the International Museum, Washington, the North Pole, and the other flag through the canal."

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Benefit performances are being arranged for tomorrow afternoon and evening by the principal singers of the company personnel. The proceeds are to be loaned for these concerts.

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The commission also decided the case of the Arizona Corporation Commission versus the Arizona and New Mexico Railway et al., involving wheat rates from Kansas and other Middle Western States to Arizona. It refused to suspend a proposed increase in wheat rates and made reductions in flour rates.

HYDROGRAPHIC STATION.

The Senate Naval Committee today ordered a favorable report on Senator Works's bill for a hydrographic station at Los Angeles. The bill will now pass the Senate. Representative Stephens has done some work in behalf of it and will press it in the House as soon as it passes the Senate. Senator Works put into the record in the Senate today resolutions of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce against repeal of free canal tolls.

CALIFORNIA POSTMASTERS.

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The Bank of Commerce and Trust Company of San Diego has filed application to join the new currency system.

HOMESTEADERS' TROUBLES.

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[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

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"At present, he declared, the poor settler who endeavored to make a home in a new country without a large amount of capital was victimized by the block bankers, who strip each new wave of homesteaders and mortgage for the next crop."

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WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

Feb. 18.—The fail- Foster of Memphis, of the New York Cotton announced on the ex- Foster is said to have for C. P. Raine, the who recent- his contracts and shortages about two and there are no claims against him here as far

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Confident.

SAY BANK LAW SOLVES PROBLEM.

McAdoo, Houston Sure of Reserve System's Success.

Declare Their Trip Revealed Country's Great Strength.

Intend to Aid Movement of Crops in the Fall.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The Federal Reserve Bank Organization Committee, back in Washington after a five weeks' trip through the country, in a statement issued tonight, announced that its selection of Federal reserve cities and definition of reserve districts would not be made until careful consideration had been given to the information accumulated on the trip. The statement said the committee, Secretaries McAdoo and Houston, found the country prosperous and learned that bankers and business men are greatly interested in the new banking system and confident of its success.

In a supplemental statement McAdoo asserted he hoped the new system would be established in time to take care of crop-moving contingencies next year, but that if it were not, the Treasury Department would stand ready to place its funds again at the disposal of business men.

THE STATEMENT.

The committee's statement in part said:

"In every section of the country the committee has found a practically unanimous conviction among bankers and business men that the currency bill will bring about most beneficial changes in the business of the country. . . .The committee was presented everywhere with overwhelming evidence of the enormous economic strength of the country, and of the rapid progress of every section. The fact that the nation's banking resources as a whole made enormous advances every twelve or fifteen years, approximately doubling in each such period, was made evident; while this is true of the country as a whole, it was shown that certain sections are advancing with more rapid strides than others, and that the country is fundamentally exceptionally sound and strong economically. The facts and figures submitted to the committee in every part of the country show amazing growth and strength and disclose a condition of financial, industrial, commercial and agricultural soundness and prosperity that leaves no doubt as to the future.

"The committee was impressed by the frank admission of bankers throughout the country that the present banking system not only encourages, but actually has created striking artificial conditions of banking. With practical unanimity, the opinion was expressed that the new measure will restore normal conditions with great resulting benefits; that the present system not only furnishes no protection in times of real stringency, but also even in times of great prosperity, especially when there are bounteous crops, makes it impossible to meet the conditions, and that there has been presented the singular contradiction of having bankers thrown into fear of panic by the emergency of wealth. The bankers were unanimously of the opinion that the establishment of this reserve system will no longer make our prosperity a peril and that it will relieve them of apprehension and distress in those circumstances and give confidence and stability to business generally.

"Already practically all the capital represented by the national banks has come in. A number of State banks have applied for national charters and many have applied for membership in the Federal reserve system. In every State in the Union which the committee has visited it has heard expressions from Governors, banking commissioners and others to the effect that where there is any legal disability against subscription by State banks, that disability would be removed and the further expression that State banks which were eligible would very generally seek to enter the system."

FOR CROP MOVEMENT.

Secretary McAdoo's statement said: "In a few instances the question was asked if the new Federal reserve banks would be organized in time to take care of the crop-moving contingencies next fall. It is hoped that the system may be established before that time, but if it should not be, the resources of the United States Treasury will be placed again at the disposal of and be used for the protection of the legitimate business interests of the country."

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MINERS ACCUSE JUDGE.

Unionists in Petition to Wilson Call West Virginia Jurist Prejudiced and Ask for Investigation.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Charges against United States Judge A. D. Dayton of the Northern West Virginia district were filed with President Wilson today in a petition by a committee of the United Mine Workers and the Ohio Valley Trades and Labor Assembly, asking for an investigation.

Judge Dayton was charged with prejudices which incapacitate him for sitting as a judge and the petition contained allegations intended to support that charge. President Wilson promised to consider the petition and refer it to Atty.-Gen. McReynolds.

Emphatic.

SAYS TUMULTY IS PREJUDICED.

PROTESTANT EDITOR GETS HOT DENIAL FROM WILSON.

Publisher of Magazine in Washington Declares President's Secretary Handles Correspondence According to Religious Predilections, but the Executive Says No.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—In a letter to W. W. Prescott, editor of the Protestant Magazine, published here, President Wilson has denied emphatically that his correspondence is handled with religious prejudice by his secretary, Joseph P. Tumulty. The correspondence made public yesterday by the magazine follows:

"The President, Washington, D. C., January 15, 1914.

"Sir: I learn from personal interviews and correspondence that there is a widespread feeling among Protestants that it is practically impossible for any communication relating to the activities of the Roman Catholic Church to reach you personally, for the reason that all such letters are withheld from you by your private secretary, Mr. Tumulty. It is unfortunate both for you and for the country that such an impression prevails.

"Before dealing with this subject in this magazine, I am writing to ask for a statement from you which might be of service in restoring confidence among some of the best citizens of this republic. Any reply, showing that this letter actually reached you, would be a source of satisfaction.

"When you were Governor of New Jersey I wrote you concerning some criticisms of your course in which you were charged with showing favoritism to the Roman Catholic Church and your reply placed the matter in such a light that I did not deem it necessary to make any reference to the subject. My desire is to deal fairly with public men, and hence this letter.

"Thanking you for any attention which you may give to my request, I am,

"Yours very truly,
"W. W. PRESCOTT."

WILSON'S REPLY.

The President's reply under the date of January 19, 1914, follows:

"My Dear Sir: Allow me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of January 15 and to thank you for your candor in writing me.

"I beg leave to assure you that the impression that any part of my correspondence is withheld from me in any circumstances by my secretary on account of religious predilections on his part is absurdly and utterly false. I venture to say that no President ever had more frank and satisfactory relations with his secretary than I have with mine. The whole of my correspondence is constantly open to me. Mr. Tumulty is more prompt, perhaps, to call my attention to matters in which his prejudice is supposed to be engaged than to other matters of relative indifference.

"Of course, I need hardly add I am not speaking from an impression, but from knowledge of just how my correspondence is handled.

"Sincerely yours,
"WOODROW WILSON."

WILSON'S AMBITIONS.

Activity of Democratic National Committee Indicates President Wants Another Term.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The sudden exhibition of activity on the part of the Democratic National Committee in getting what they call Woodrow Wilson's "record of achievement" before the country has been interpreted by some Democratic leaders and possibly by their followers, generally to mean that the President is certain to be a candidate to succeed himself in the year 1916.

If Mr. Wilson today should say definitely that he will not be a candidate for renomination, nine-tenths of his influence with members of Congress would go down the Potomac on the bosom of the west winds.

WANTS MINIMUM WAGE.
BUT NOT FOR HIMSELF.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Lieut.-Gov. Barratt O'Hara, formally announced tonight his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator to succeed Lawrence Y. Sherman, Republican, whose term will expire in 1915. O'Hara will make his campaign on the need of a national minimum wage law.

CALL THORNTON UNDESIRABLE.

English Union Labor Members in House of Commons Attempt to Class American as an Alien.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 18.—"Henry W. Thornton, the new American general manager of the Great Eastern Railway Company of England, is an undesirable alien," said Will Crooks, Union Labor member for Woolwich, in the House of Commons today.

The members of the Labor party had been greatly incensed by a demand put forward by the Unionists for legislation to prevent such "alien desperadoes" as the Labor leaders deported from South Africa after the recent general strike from being "dumped" into England.

A storm of protest filled the House, in the midst of which the burly member for Woolwich shouted:

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Women all over the State express themselves as extremely gratified by the appointment of Mrs. Annette Adams to the office of Assistant United States District Attorney. Her appointment has been forwarded to the Attorney-General for confirmation, by Dist.-Atty. Preston. Mrs. Adams is the first woman to receive such an office, and women see in it another sign of their growing political significance.

Many women who have felt that women should not accept office until they are sure they are properly equipped, declare themselves particularly gratified by the selection of Mrs. Adams, seeing in her a gifted and well-trained woman, who cannot fail to live up to the confidence imposed in her.

Mrs. Adams graduated from the University of California in 1905. She was principal of the Modoc High School for some years, then returned to the university to take her doctor's degree in law. Before coming to San Francisco she practiced law in Plumas county. Now she is associated in a law firm with Marguerite Ogden, daughter of Judge Ogden of Oakland.

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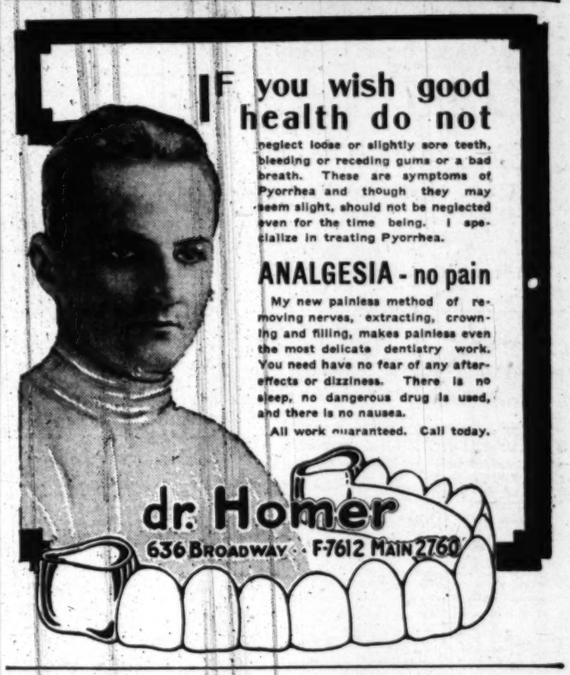

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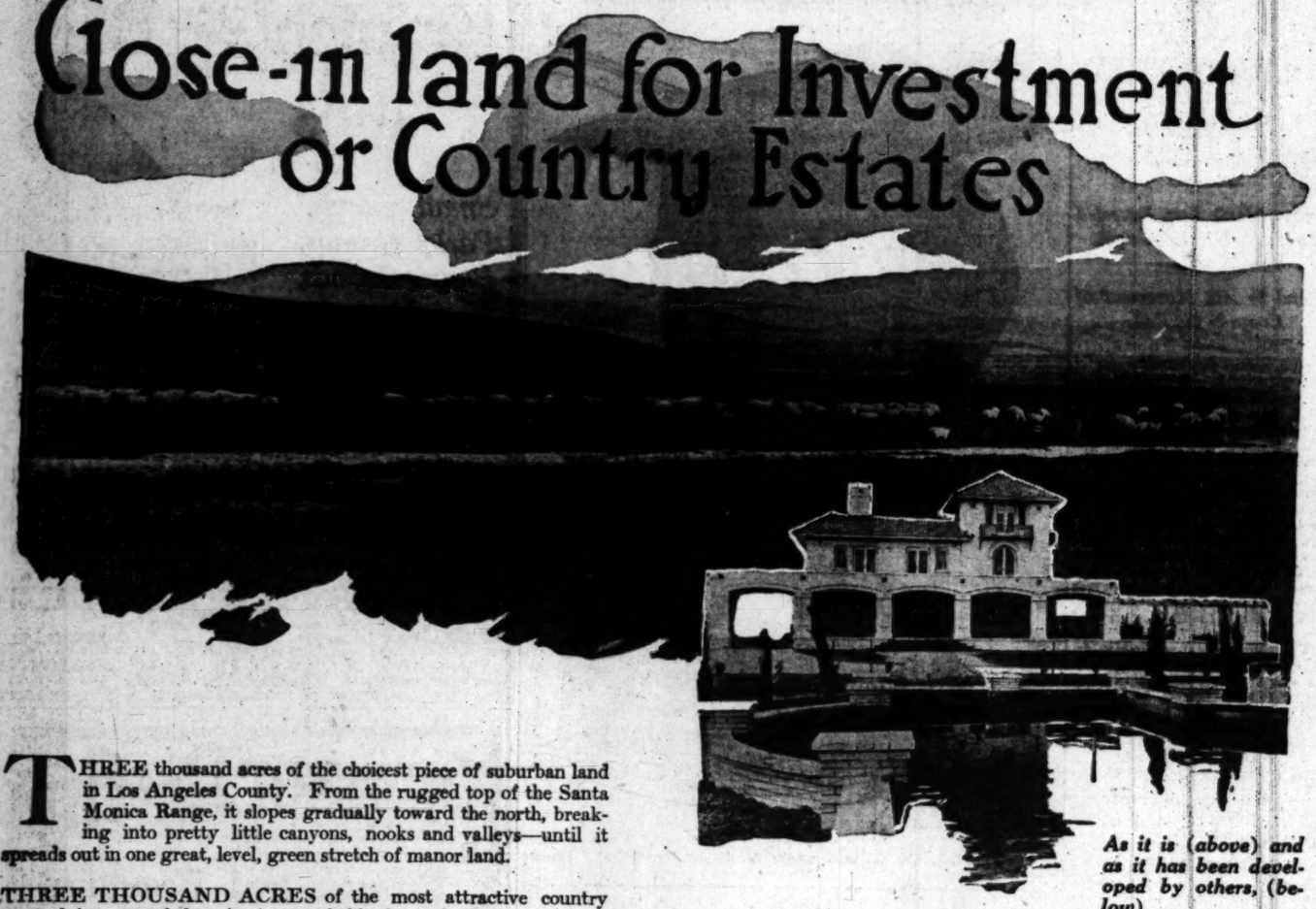

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Railroad Report.

RAILWAY LAWS KNOCKED OUT.

Three-Cent Fare and Full Crew Killed in Arizona.

Headlight Measure Is Also Declared Invalid.

Corporation Commission Above the Legislature.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX, (Ariz.) Feb. 18.—By decision holding that only the Corporation Commission of the State, and not the Legislature, had the right to make rules or regulations governing public service corporations, the State Supreme Court today the Arizona railroad 3-cent fare law, the full crew law and the act providing that locomotives should be equipped with electric headlights. All of these statutes were declared by the State Legislature, but the Supreme Court ruled had gone outside of its province.

The Supreme Court held that under the Constitution of the State the power to make rules and regulations affecting public service corporations was vested solely in the Corporation Commission.

As soon as the decision was handed down G. P. Bullard, Attorney-General, issued instructions to the railroads and other public service corporations cited before the Corporation Commission, which will be asked to issue orders embodying the provisions of the laws invalidated by the Supreme Court's action.

"NEXT BIG ISSUE."

Judge Prouty Declares Point at Work Which Will Bring Ownership of Railroads to Fore.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BALTIMORE, Feb. 18.—John A. Prouty, in charge of the work of valuation of railroads by the Government, in an address last night before the Traffic Club, said that the next point at work that will make government ownership a big political issue in the near future.

"I am not forecasting or trying to influence the decision of the question," Judge Prouty said, "but there are forces at work which will make government ownership a political issue in a short time. If government ownership comes it will be because the railroads have not given satisfactory service. They cannot render satisfactory service without necessary money.

"Take for argument's sake the valuation of the railroads of the country, $20,000,000. The roads claim they should be allowed to earn 6 per cent on their investment. Most people believe 6 per cent. sufficient. That makes a difference of $400,000,000 in the country will have to pay for roads controlled by private capital. Will the country be willing to do that?

"The thing for the railroads to do is to create public sentiment in their favor. The fair thing for the railroads to do is to meet the public half way."

THE WEATHER RACKET.

After an Early Rise Storm Will Drop Over the Northwestern Middle West.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Temperatures in the Northwest and Canada continued to rise today, the mercury dropping rapidly tonight over the Dakotas in advance of a fresh cold wave. Heavy snow over the Northwest and the Middle West. New England and the Middle New York continue very cold.

Cincinnati, 41-34, and Kansas City, 40-34. White River shows 0 deg. below, Minnesota and Quebec 14 below. Minnesota reports 2 to 10 deg. below, and Wisconsin and Minnesota are all near zero temperatures:

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MARIE LLOYD TO MARRY.

CONSUL TO ACT AS BEST MAN TO DILLON TOMORROW.

English Music Hall Singer, Once Declared an Undesirable Citizen, Will Remove the Legal Obstacle Hitherto Standing in Way of Her Tour of the United States.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Marie Lloyd, English music hall favorite, who has been having a strenuous time getting entrance into the United States, having been declared an undesirable citizen, is at last to be legally married, and to Jockey Dillon, with whom she came to America. The wedding is to take place here Friday, and the British Consul is to act as best man. Marie has spurned and hated all the Americans, Portlanders, Seattleites and others, but when she was able to cross the line under bonds and fulfill her theatrical engagement at Seattle she was more or less happy. Friday she expects to be happier than ever, for she will be pronounced by church and state the legal spouse of the man with whom she has traveled for months, as her husband. Marie is winning over the Portlanders now this week, though on the opening night, Sunday, she was hissed off the stage and in a hysterical fit, bolted back behind the scenes and refused to be comforted.

Dillon was able to leave Vancouver today after getting permission from Uncle Sam, and will arrive here to meet his life-parter-to-be after a separation covering two weeks.

Dillon does not share all the views of Marie, though he believes that some people are much too critical.

For himself, Dillon says that he cannot understand his exclusion from the States, seeing that he was admitted only a few months ago, and things are no worse now than then. Dillon contends there was no real legal ground for his exclusion, as he has no intention of becoming a resident here, and his only reason for coming here is to act as manager for Miss Lloyd during her tour.

Dillon will return to the "old country" in May, but will not go back on the flat racing track, being too heavy for that work now. He will, however, take up steeplechasing for a time.

CLEAR HUDSON RIVER.

Powerful Tugs Smash Channel Through Ice from New York to Yonkers, and Raise Blockade.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Two powerful tugs, aided by a rise in the temperature, succeeded today in smashing a channel through the ice that had locked the Hudson River between New York and Yonkers. The tugs were sent out by the Federal Sugar Refining Company, after the government revenue service had reported that its gutters were unable to raise the blockade. They made a path through which waiting ships loaded with coal and sugar were able to reach the company's dock at Yonkers.

COMPLETE DENVER RETURNS.

Municipal Purchase of Union Water Company Is Defeated by a Vote of 13,346 to 6824.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Feb. 18.—Figures compiled today by the Elections Commission on complete returns from yesterday's special election showed the following results:

The water contract, providing for the municipal purchase of the Denver Union Water Company, on which only taxpayers voted, was defeated 13,346 to 6824.

Issue of $3,000,000 bonds to cover the city's share of driving the James Peak tunnel through the continental divide for the use of the Denver and Salt Lake Railroad, carried by a vote of nearly 2 to 1. For, 12,640; against, 6953.

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VANDERBILT HOME BURNED.

Country Place on Long Island, Destroyed by Fire.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JERICHO (L. I.) Feb. 18.—The new country home of William K. Vanderbilt, 2d, in Hills, was destroyed by fire today. The loss is estimated at $75,000, the building and $40,000 for furnishings.

Mrs. Vanderbilt was preparing to take a large party of guests here for winter festivities.

The house was completed and the caretaker and two servants had moved in.

The fire is believed to have been caused by an over-heated furnace.

MAMBO BABOON FOR CUP.

London Friend Will Present Ape as Mascot for America's Challenger.

[BY CABLE AND NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 18.—[Special cable dispatch.] Sir Thomas Lipton, who is on the way home from Africa bringing with him a baboon as a mascot for Shamrock IV., the new challenger for America's cup.

Hi

Labor.

OFFICIALS DINE WITH STRIKERS.

Congressmen to Colorado Camps.

Operators and Unionites Bury Hatchet for Moment.

Habeas Corpus Writ Denied in "Mother" Jones.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TRINIDAD (Colo.) Feb. 18.—John Lawson and John McLennon, leaders; E. H. Weitzel, general manager of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company; Col. George Lea of the National Guard and the Committee which is investigating the coal strike, ate today at the boarding-house at the Ludlow American Fuel Company's coal mine at Hastings, with W. R. Rae, general manager of the company, as host.

Some time before, Lawson and McLennon had acted as hosts at the Ludlow tent colony and had met representatives and the company officials through the day of clashes between strikers and the guards.

Throughout the day the labor leaders and the mine officials kept up a running fire of bantering, which culminated when Weitzel, at the Delagua, insisted on taking Lawson and Rae over to the scales, to show them that "you fellows are getting fat and our weighing is on the square."

The iron bridge near Ludlow, known as the "fort" behind which the militia fought guards, Lawson and Weitzel because the company had "just finished this bridge when the strike began, and left it as a fortification for us."

After the committee on the tour of the labor leaders and mine officials were Joseph S. Meyers, investigator for the Federal Department of Labor, and Charles J. Stockton of the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations.

The Ludlow tent colony, the women were surrounded by a number of strikers. Such of them as could be communicated with—there were forty-five languages and dialects in the camp—replied to questions.

At Hastings after luncheon, Rae drove up the canyon to the mine. Also a Victor-American mine the committee sought to visit. Ludvik, one of the two children alleged to have been killed by the wives of strikers and held in the tent colony early in the strike, Mrs. Ludvik reiterated the statement in her affidavit furnished Gov. E. M. Ammons.

The committee visited the Colorado Iron Company's property at Berwind and Tabasco before going to Trinidad.

"MOTHER" JONES LOSES

The State Supreme Court denied the petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed by "Mother" Mary Jones, a prisoner in the Southern Penitentiary. Two of the seven justices dissented. The court made the following statement:

"As a matter of the application of petitioners for leave to file a petition for a writ of habeas corpus, the judges are of the opinion that the application for leave to file should be denied and it is so denied."

Chief Justice Musser and Justice Bailey are of the opinion that the petition should be filed and the writ of habeas corpus should issue.

TELL OF ASSAULTS.

Copper Miner Tells Congressional Committee He Was Beaten by Sheriff's Branch Office.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CALUMET (Mich.) Feb. 18.—Assaults said to have been committed upon miners by deputy sheriffs and other lawful acts resulting from the present mine workers' strike were told today before the Congressional investigating committee after Representative Taylor of Colorado had declared the committee was vested with authority to inquire into the administration of justice.

The upper peninsula of Michigan is in its administration of James N. Hilton of counsel for the strikers said, "and in no other place in the United States would it be tolerated."

It was a matter of great surprise in society, who had known of the engagement. It has been announced that Mrs. Bronson will become a Catholic, of which belief Miss Kings Bronson, widow of Frederic Bronson, would shortly be a supporter, and that the marriage will take place tomorrow or next week, possibly in St. Patrick's Cathedral. Mrs. Bronson has been a New York visitor for several years. Her husband, at one time president of the New York coaching Club, and especially in this city. Iselin and his fiancee 62,

Railroad Record.

RAILWAY LAWS KNOCKED OUT

Three-Cent Fare and Fu... Crew Killed in Arizona.

Headlight Measure Is Al... Declared Invalid.

Corporation Commission ... Above the Legislature.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 18.—By decision holding that only the C... poration Commission of the S... and not the Legislature, had ... right to make rules or regulati... governing public service corporati... the State Supreme Court invalid... today the Arizona railroad ... fare law, the full crew law and ... act providing that locomotives sh... be equipped with electric headlig... All of these statutes were enac... by the State Legislature, which ... Supreme Court ruled had acted ... side of its province.

The Supreme Court held that ... der the Constitution of the State ... power to make rules and regulati... affecting public service corporati... was vested solely in the Corporati... Commission.

As soon as the decision was han... down G. P. Bullard, Attorney-G... eral, issued instructions to have ... railroads and other public ser... corporations cited before the Corp... tion Commission, which will be re... to issue orders embodying all ... provisions of the laws invalidated ... the Supreme Court's action.

"NEXT BIG ISSUE."

Judge Prouty Declares Forces ... at Work Which Will Bring For... Ownership of Railroads to Fr...

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BALTIMORE, Feb. 18.—Judge A. Prouty, in charge of the phy... valuation of railroads by the gov... ment, in an address last night b... the Traffic Club, said that forces ... at work that will make govern... ownership a big political issue in ... near future.

"I am not forecasting or trying ... influence the decision of the ... question," Judge Prouty said, "... there are forces at work which ... make government ownership a ... political issue in a short time. If ... ernment ownership comes it will ... because the railroads have not ... satisfactory service. They cannot ... satisfactory service without the ... sary money.

"Take for argument's sake ... valuation of the railroads at $16,... 000,000. The roads declare ... should be allowed to earn 5 per ... on their investment. Most people ... lieve 6 per cent. sufficient. ... makes a difference of $160,... the country will have to pay ... roads controlled by private ... Will the country be willing to ...

"The thing for the railroads ... is to create public sentiment in ... favor. The fair thing for the ... to do is to meet the railroads ... way."

THE WEATHER BACK EAST.

After an Early Rise Tempe... Drop Over the Northwest and ... die West.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive dispatch.] Temperatures in all sections continued to rise today, but dropping rapidly tonight with predictions of a fresh cold wave and snow over the Northwest and the West. New England and parts of New York continue very cold. Chicago's maximum was 32, minimum 22. Cincinnati, 44-36, and St. Louis, 46-36. White River shows 46 deg. below, and Quebec 14 below. Michigan reports 2 to 10 deg. below, and Wisconsin and Minnesota are at zero. Other temperatures:

City—	Max.
Abilene, Tex.	61
Boise, Idaho	24
Boston, Mass.	24
Buffalo, N. Y.	30
Calgary, Alberta	22
Chicago, Ill.	44
Denver, Colo.	39
Des Moines, Iowa	32
Dodge City, Kan.	34
Duluth, Minn.	14
Durango, Colo.	42
Galveston, Tex.	66
Havre, Mont.	16
Helena, Mont.	24
Huron, S. D.	24
Jacksonville, Fla.	72
Kansas City, Mo.	46
Knoxville, Tenn.	46
Memphis, Tenn.	52
Montreal, Quebec	6
Moorhead, Minn.	18
New Orleans, La.	58
New York, N. Y.	32
North Platte, Neb.	34
Oklahoma City, Okla.	56
Pittsburgh, Pa.	36
Rapid City, S. D.	26
Roswell, N. M.	52
St. Louis, Mo.	46
St. Paul, Minn.	20
Salt Lake City, Utah	32
Sheridan, Wyo.	24
Swift Current, Sask.	24
Tampa, Fla.	74
Washington, D. C.	38
Williston, N. D.	8
Winnipeg, Man.	4

*Below zero.

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... testified that he ... beaten by deputies in ... of the Sheriff at ... on December 10, last. ... Crean was present and ... by saying: "That's ... Afterwards he was ... for thirty days. Under ... the witness ad... that some deputies ... on Quincy Hill about ... he was arrested. ... Sheriff told the com... had been arrested ... connection with the ... denied the Sheriff ... beating as soon as ...

... told of having ... for weapons by ... members of the "Citi... while the South ... December 11 was in ...

...MAN ISELIN.

...deric Bronson Will ... York Yachtsman and ...

[BY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

... BUREAU OF THE ... 18.—[Exclusive Dis... was much interested ... announcement that Mrs. ... Bronson, widow of ..., would shortly ... both of this city, the ... banker. Iselin and ... to be quite a marriage ... a matter of great sur... in society, who had ... engagement. It has ... Bronson will become ..., of which belief ... denied, and that the ... take place tomorrow ... Bronson has been a ... these precedent of ... Coaching Club, and ... in this city. Iselin ... 41.

His Word Versus a Woman's Word.

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U. S. Senator Gore,

Of Oklahoma, in whom a jury in Oklahoma had so implicit faith it reported in its verdict its mind was made up before he offered a defense of charges brought against him by a woman who asked fifty thousand dollars.

TAILOR'S "VICTIM" ALIVE.

Pashkoff, Arrested for Ritual Murder in Russia, Is Released Upon Discovery of Christian Boy.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 18.—Telegrams from Kiev announced that Pashkoff, the Jewish tailor, who was arrested and charged with the "ritual murder" of the boy, Yoshel Pashkoff, has been released on bail in consequence of the discovery, alive, of the Christian boy, Taranthevitch, who was at first said to have been the victim of the crime. Taranthevitch, according to first reports, had been adopted by Pashkoff as his son and then murdered.

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Gore Acquitted.

(Continued from First Page.)

ter, the foreman, tears were on the cheeks of both herself and the aged farmer.

"The verdict confirms my faith that truth will triumph," Senator Gore said. "I never for a moment doubted the outcome."

From the time the jury left the room to prepare its verdict until the demonstration was under way, Mrs. Bond sat in silence leaning on a table and scribbling on a piece of paper. She seemed in no haste to leave the room until she was approached by her attorneys, when she arose and walked away with them and her husband.

E. J. Giddings, chief of counsel for Mrs. Bond, said tonight an appeal to the Supreme Court would be taken on the grounds that applause and demonstrations in the courtroom during the trial had influenced the jury.

President Wilson was one of the first to send his congratulations to Senator Gore after the verdict was returned. An hour later this telegram came from the White House signed by the President's private secretary. "Heartiest congratulations."

The trial began last Wednesday. In her declaration Mrs. Bond alleged that the Senator attacked her while they were conferring in a hotel in Washington last March in connection with the possible appointment of her husband, Julian Bond, as Internal revenue collector at Oklahoma City. Gore seized her, she alleged. She said she freed herself only after several men appeared in the doorway of the room. In the scuffle, Mrs. Bond asserted, her face was scratched and hand lacerated by fragments of her broken eyeglasses.

Senator Gore denied the charges and as a counter-charge alleged that the suit was instigated by political opponents who had failed in their efforts to obtain Federal patronage.

The jury comprised nine farmers, a grocer, a banker and a broker. Mrs. Bond, called as the first witness, denied any knowledge of the plot alleged by the Senator, who is a candidate for renomination at the Oklahoma primaries next August. Efforts to have depositions bearing on alleged incidents in connection with the past of both plaintiff and defendant were prevented by a ruling of Judge Clark, who held such evidence not vital to the suit.

T. E. Robertson, Kirby Fitzpatrick and Dr. J. P. Earp, Oklahomans who were in Washington at the time of the hotel episode, appeared as witnesses for Mrs. Bond. All were unsuccessful candidates for Federal positions. Robertson and Fitzpatrick claimed to have been eyewitnesses to the alleged assault, while Earp asserted he had been importuned by Gore to have Mrs. Bond leave Washington and "hush the matter up."

Testifying in his own defense, Senator Gore characterized the allegations as "infamous lies," and asserted that Mrs. Bond seized him and at an opportune moment Robertson and Fitzpatrick appeared in the room. Other witnesses for the defense quoted witnesses for the plaintiff as admitting that a "frame-up" against Senator Gore had been arranged and quoted several as having made threats to "get" the Sentor.

Argument in the suit began yesterday and was finished late today.

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"Break away from that ailment or complaint that unfits you for business or pleasure. You cannot expect the fullest enjoyment or pleasure in life fettered to a 'drag,'" says an eminent physician, writing to a prominent business man in this city. "Break the fetters that bind you! Throw them off. Begin a new life today—now. Regulate the hours of sleep. Choose carefully your food. Read cheerful, inspiring papers or books. Let the following prescription be used regularly for several weeks or months and all such symptoms as these will vanish: Dull, sunken eyes, cold extremities, backache, headache, sleeplessness, thinness (or overfat,) weakness in the spine, twitching, spots before the eyes, pains in back of head, trembling, fatigue, despondency, impaired memory, loss of appetite, flabby muscles, shrinking skin, constipation, kidney disorders and a general restlessness and inability to do important duties when they should be done."

For the benefit of those who want a restoration to full, bounding health and all the happiness accompanying it, the following home treatment is given. It contains no opiates or habit-forming drugs whatever. Mix it at home and no one will be the wiser as to your affliction.

The treatment is simple, thorough and correct. Leading druggists supply the main tinctures, extracts and essences in one-ounce bottles, ready to mix. Get three ounces syrup sarsaparilla compound, mix with one ounce compound fluid balmwort and stand two hours. Add one ounce compound essence cardiol, and one ounce tincture cadomene compound (not cardamom.) Shake well and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one at bedtime.

Omega Oil for Sore Throat and Cold in Chest

First rub the chest or throat with Omega Oil; then soak a piece of flannel with the Oil and put it around the neck or throat, and cover with a piece of dry flannel. This simple treatment usually gives relief. Trial bottle 10c.

PASADENA MAN ROBBED.

Two Well-Appearing Young Men Beat Old Man After Leading Him Into Dark Alley.

Frank Omo of No. 60 De Lacey street, Pasadena, wandering along Los Angeles street between First and Second streets, was accosted by two well-appearing young men who asked him what he was looking for, shortly before midnight last night.

The old man gave them an address and they suggested they show him the place. He consented and walked along with them. They led him into a dark alley, beat him upon the head severely, took his wallet containing $62 in currency, and ran away.

Omo was not very badly hurt and needed no medical attention. He reported the case to the police.

You Are Invited

to attend the free lecture and cooking lesson at The Times School of Domestic Science, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 2 p.m., second floor, New Times Building.

Legions Glad To Praise Fruitola

They Say It Helped Them Out of Grave Dangers and Difficulties.

The only true test of the merit of an article is the unprejudiced opinion of those who have personally used it. There is a medicine originated in California that has for years sold by word of mouth recommendation until today people all over the United States and Canada buy it and praise it. It is the more remarkable, too, as it is a remedy for a very serious condition, which it must benefit at once or its use will be discontinued.

The remedy is called Fruitola and it is recommended in pain due to hardened bile forming into stones in the gall bladder. When these stones pass from the gall ducts into the intestines the pain is hardly bearable. The pain is usually felt at the margin of the ribs on the right side and extends to the shoulders and abdomen. There may be vomiting, chills and fever, and if the trouble is not promptly stopped, the skin becomes yellowish, indicating a condition known as jaundice.

All manner of thinks are recommended for this condition, including surgical operations, but many have found absolute relief by the use of Fruitola. A bottle is taken at a dose, as in cases of this kind decisive action is necessary. Among the legions who have taken Fruitola are Mrs. S. E. Mink of Allison Park, Pa., and Mr. Alfred Growney of 49 Carmelita st., San Francisco, and they both say it helped them to pass what they believe were gall stones and it saved them from being operated upon. Thousands of others write along the same line.

In severe constipation, when milder means fail, Fruitola has proven effective. It is prepared only by the Pinus Medicine Co., Monticello, Ill., for whom this is published, and can be obtained at any drug store with full directions for use.

Methods.

DOCTORS' USE OF RADIUM TO BE RADICALLY CHANGED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Radical changes in the methods of applying radium in the treatment of cancer, as the result of experiments by Dr. Alexis Carrel of the Rockefeller Institute, will be adopted soon by all surgeons, according to Dr. Robert Abbe, a pioneer investigator of the curative powers of the mineral.

In an address today before the Radium Institute of America, Dr. Abbe declared Dr. Carrel's experiments had convinced him that the central theory of radium's action, under which he had proceeded up to this time, was wrong. Dr. Carrel's investigations, the speaker said, demonstrated that the Beta rays of radium, which have heretofore been considered dangerous and as much as possible have been kept away from contact with the patient, have an effect upon cancer that is more healing even than the Gamma rays, now so generally relied upon by surgeons.

Distinction.

VICTOR HUGO'S RELATIVE LIFE VOYAGER ON LINER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The steamer Byron of the Lamport and Holt line, now in port, has on board a life voyager, it became known today. He is Ernest Victor Hugo, a relative of the famous French writer, who as first officer of the Lamport and Holt liner Veronese, suffered paralysis from the waist down as the result of an exposure and hardship when his ship was wrecked on the Portuguese Coast. Later he developed insomnia and cannot sleep unless soothed by the rocking of a ship.

The line which he had served undertook his care and since then he has been traveling as its guest on any vessel he selected. He wears a medal bestowed by the Royal Humane Society for the rescue of thirty-two lives at the time of the Veronese disaster.

Navigation.

WHEN WIRELESS IS A FAILURE.

IT IS USELESS TO PREVENT COLLISIONS IN FOG.

Such Is Opinion of Steamboat Inspectors' Board Which Conducts Trial of Capt. Berry, Charged with Negligence for Allowing the Nantucket to Ram the Monroe.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA (Pa.) Feb. 18.—Robert L. Etheridge, one of the wireless operators aboard the steamship Monroe when that vessel was sunk by the Nantucket off the Virginia coast, was again on the witness stand today in the trial of Capt. Osmyn Berry of the Nantucket, charged with negligence. Etheridge said the other wireless operator had left his post soon after the ships came together and that he followed when the lights of the Monroe went out. Neither left the radio room, he said, until after they had sent out the distress call.

The bow lookout of the Monroe, Andrew Sjedin, was also a witness. He corroborated all that Capt. Johnson had said about the collision except that the Monroe did not stop when the Nantucket's whistle was heard, but continued on at half speed. Capt. Johnson said he stopped the engines for a minute until he ascertained the direction of the Nantucket.

"While wireless telegraphy has saved hundreds of lives at sea, it has yet to prove that it is of any practical use in preventing collisions when ships are within a short distance of each other in a fog.

This was the opinion expressed today by the board of steamboat inspectors conducting the trial. The board expressed the opinion after it had examined Etheridge. The operator said he could give no instance where he had ever been able to help a ship's master in the safe navigation of his vessel in a fog.

Other witnesses examined today were J. E. Gateley, second officer of the Monroe; J. H. Perkins, chief engineer, and Oscar Perkins, second assistant engineer. They added but little that was new to the story of the disaster.

TO LEAVE WIFE ON BORDER.

San Jose Man Marries a Palo Alto Girl in London—Climax of a Romance Begun at Stanford.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Perry Crawford of San Jose, Cal., and Miss Irma Zichokke of Palo Alto were married in Regent Square Church today.

The bridegroom is engaged in building a power-house for the Amir of Afghanistan, the purpose of which is to operate a factory for the manufacture of arms and clothing for the Afghan army. The work is being done so secretly that Crawford came out of the country under a military escort and he will not be permitted to take his bride beyond the Afghan border, where she will be compelled to wait a year, until the power-house has been completed.

The romance began while Crawford and Miss Zichokke were undergraduates in Leland Stanford, Jr., University. The bride is well known as a settlement worker in connection with the Russell Sage Foundation, New York.

FROM OSSKOSH TO WAUPUN.

Man Who Attempted to Kill Roosevelt at Milwaukee Transferred to Hospital for Criminal Insane.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FOND DU LAC (Wis.) Feb. 18.—John Schrank, who attempted to assassinate Theodore Roosevelt at Milwaukee two years ago, and who has been confined at the Northern Wisconsin Hospital for the Insane at Oshkush, since his trial, was transferred to the hospital for criminal insane at Waupun today.

BILLINGHURSTS EXILED.

Former President and His Son Headed for Europe in the Peruvian Cruiser Lima.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Peruvian Minister Pezet received a cable dispatch today from the provisional government at Lima saying former President Billinghurst was being taken to Europe.

The information gave much satisfaction here as removing any tension over what might happen to the late President during his captivity. It was felt that his departure removes him as a political factor in Peru and leaves the provisional government free to work out its plans.

THE ACTION AT LIMA.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LIMA (Peru) Feb. 18.—Guillermo Billinghurst, the deposed President of Peru, was sent into exile today, together with his son, George, and his Minister of the Interior, Don Gonzalo Tirado.

At midnight the fallen Chief Executive was taken from the penitentiary where he had been confined since his overthrow on February 4. He was then transported to Callao, where he and his companions were placed on board the Peruvian cruiser Lima before dawn. The war vessel weighed anchor at 4 a.m. and left for Panama.

It is stated that the majority of the Peruvian Congress will refuse to authorize the assumption of the Presidency by Roberto E. Leguia, first Vice-President, who is now on his way to New York from England. It is said such action on his part would cause further revolution and a state of anarchy in Peru.

Dr. Jose Pardo, President of Peru from 1894 to 1895, is reported to intend returning to Peru in order to unify the various elements of the Civil party, but without any idea of trying to return to power.

GEORGIA IN MOURNING.

Body of the Late Senator Bacon Is Visited by Thousands as It Lies in Atlanta State House.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ATLANTA (Ga.) Feb. 18.—Thousands of Georgians assembled today to pay tribute to the memory of the late Senator Bacon. The day was one of public mourning. The body lay in the State house. Headed by the military band, regular troops from Ft. McPherson escorted the body from the train and later in the day it was taken to Macon for burial tomorrow.

CLIP THIS OUT FOR REFERENCE

All Office-Seekers Will Need the Information Herein Contained.

[A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 18.—Candidates for nomination to the United States Senate or State offices, to secure a place on the 1914 primary ballot, must secure the following numbers of signatures to their nominating petitions, according to announcement made today by Secretary of State Jordan:

Republicans, minimum, 1412; maximum 5648.

Progressives, minimum, 1412; maximum 5648.

Democrats, minimum, 1418; maximum, 5672.

Socialists, minimum, 397; maximum, 1588.

Prohibitionists, minimum, 117; maximum, 468.

A minimum of 670 signatures and a maximum of 2680 to nonpartisan nominating petitions are necessary for candidates for Superintendent of Public Instruction and for the State Supreme Court.

HAITI REBELS HARD PRESSED.

Big Battle in Progress With Government Troops in Vicinity of Cape Haitien Marines Patrol Streets.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

CAPE HAITIEN (Haiti) Feb. 18.—A battle was in progress today between the government troops and the rebels at Grande Riviere, fifteen miles from this port. The partisans of Senator Davilmar Theodore, the rebel leader, were so hard pressed that they sent back for reinforcements.

At the same time the Haitien government warship Nord Alexis bombarded Cagnette, on the coast, and another force of government troops reached Limbe, west of Cape Haitien.

The foreign consular corps in Cape Haitien, together with the commander of the United States warship San Francisco, advised Senator Theodore to retire from the city, but he refused to do so.

American bluejackets are patrolling the streets to prevent looting.

Circumstantial.

AURORA POLICE FIND A CLEW.

DISCOVER KNIFE NEAR BODY OF MURDERED GIRL.

Conductor of Street Car Confirms Statement that Former Sweetheart Was Seen Going in Direction of the Scene of the Crime—Father Vows Vengeance.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

AURORA (Ill.) Feb. 18. — A pen knife found in the cemetery a few feet from where the battered body of Theresa Hollander was found was identified tonight, according to the police. The knife formerly was the property of Frank Barimont, a benchmate of Anthony Petras, former sweetheart of Miss Hollander, who has been in jail since the discovery of her body. The knife was lost three years ago, according to Barimont, but when found was sharp and shiny from having been carried in a pocket.

R. H. Schellhorn, conductor on the street car on which both Miss Hollander and Petras were seen shortly before the murder, confirmed the statement of Walter Hickman, a negro, that Petras had ridden a block beyond where the girl left the car and after alighting had run swiftly back.

Louis Hollander, father of the slain girl, swore an oath of vengeance today as he stood beside her coffin.

"The murderer shall die," Hollander swore in the presence of friends and relatives who were gathered in the room. "If he escapes the law, he will not escape me. All I ask is two minutes alone with him and I will cut him to pieces. The murder was deliberately planned and the murderer shall die for it."

A theory was advanced by Petras's lawyers that persons who it was believed set fire to an unoccupied house near where Miss Hollander was slain, killed her while running from the scene that she might not report them. The house burned at about the hour Miss Hollander was killed.

Demonstration.

HOLY ROLLERS ARE MOBBED.

CHURCH OF FANATICS BURNED AT NEWTON, ILL.

People Rise in Wrath When Five of Leaders Are Convicted for Beating Two Little Boys and Members Are Given Rough-House Treatment.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEWTON (Ill.) Feb. 18. — The burning of the Springs Holiness Church, the wholesale arrest of its members, and the conviction of five more persons, were today's developments in court and mob action against a band of religious fanatics known as "Holy Rollers" near here.

The trial is the outgrowth of a special service a week ago, at which it is alleged two little boys were tied and after a vote of the congregation were beaten with sticks and leather straps till their backs bled. The fanatics, it is charged, took this means of driving "sin and the devil" out of the boys. The boys, 9 and 12 years old, on the witness stand said the sin with which they were charged was failure to attend church regularly.

The church of the recently-organized sect was burned to the ground early today. It is presumed the mob which was frustrated yesterday in its efforts to lynch the pastor of the church and three others charged with the attack on the boys set fire to the church.

Mrs. Rosa Deck, Frank Emery and his wife, Allen Lyons and Harold Cummings were found guilty today of being accessories to the attack on the boys. Each of the first three was fined $85 and costs, and the two latter $50 and costs each. Feeling here is high against the new sect, and determination to rid the community of all its believers was expressed openly during the trial.

Mrs. Emma Van Treese, aunt of Cameron and Raymond Richardson, the boys who were beaten, and Frank and Cameron Cummins, uncles of the boys, were convicted yesterday and fined $100 each, together with Rev. David Lyons, pastor of the church, on charge of assault in connection with the attack on the boys. They are still in jail, preferring to remain there until the feeling against them subsides.

METEOR JUST MISSES SHIP.

During Snowstorm Ball of Fire Falls Into Sea Close to Red Star Liner Lapland.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Among the remarkable storm stories told by the passengers of the steamship Columbia of the Anchor Line, and the Red Star liner Lapland, both of which came into port today three days late, was the account of a large and brilliant meteor which burned its way through the snow and hail and plunged hissing into the sea within a short distance of the Lapland.

Passengers said Friday night they were startled by the appearance in the northern sky of a brilliant ball of fire. Shooting in a parabola toward the liner, it seemed to them almost certain to fall on the Lapland's deck. Instead, it burst into pieces with the report of a cannon and sank into the sea.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—President Wilson and Attorney-Gen... spent two hours tonight discussing bills pending before Congress dealing with the trust problem. It is the first opportunity the President had for long discussion on the subject with the chief legal adviser of the government.

No announcements were made afterward, the Attorney-General stating the opinion that the administration would have to move gradually, but an idea of the principles which the administration desires embodied in the proposed legislation was gained from an authoritative quarter.

The Attorney-General and the President are in agreement that the proposed Interstate Trade Commission can be made a valuable instrument for dealing with the trust problem provided its powers are clearly restricted. It should not, for instance, they think, exercise executive, administrative or regulatory functions, or in any way encroach upon the province of the Department of Justice. The operation between the Trade Commission and the commissioner would be, at most, of the work now done by the Department of Justice, to be transferred to the new commission.

Both the President and Mr. Brandeis realize there are many decisions already on the statute books and they desire not to open the way to the judicial nullification of the famous trust law. The new law might take years to interpret, and the things proposed in it are new, and that the effect must be made to conform strictly the Sherman law.

What the administration is trying to do, it is said, is to add to the present legislation as will help to prevent trusts, but will in no way hamper legitimate business or make ready debatable ground for the anti-trust law.

AGAINST PRICE CUTTING.

The House Judiciary committee today listened today to a plea by Miss Christine Frederick of New York for fixed prices to manufacturers of household goods and for legislation that would eliminate price cutting. Miss Frederick, a student of the nation in mail order and chain grain counters, under the name of "The Consumer," urged retailers to fix their own prices.

Representing the National League of American Pen Women, she aroused intense interest as she arraigned the "folly of women who spend half a day, with the expenditure of much energy and 10 cents to 50 cents carfare, to rush downtown to take advantage of a cut price, a 15-cent saving on something for 19 cents."

The cost of doing business in a department store, Miss Frederick said, "is about 50 per cent, and sometimes 90 to 95 per cent. Consequently the lines favor price reductions, she asserted the price cutting is not the sincere manifestation of a desire to save money to the consumer, but is merely a ruse to tell consumers of the wonderful bargains and ideals and to lure them into the department store, where they assault him and try to sell him other articles. Mrs. Frederick urged legislation that would establish standardized fixed quantities of goods so valuable to consumers.

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Apply by letter only, giving age and all particulars as to experience and ability.

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WANTED—BUSINESS MAN IN FINANCIAL POSITION to handle general agency. The largest manufacturers of musical instruments in the United States after 15 years of experiments have perfected the Stella Piano Mandolin, an instrument that anyone can play without previous knowledge of music. The music is so arranged and the instrument constructed in such a manner that a child 8 years of age can immediately play pieces. A real musical instrument giving four effects, piano, mandolin, guitar and zither. Has piano keys; all music self instructive; not sold through the music stores during advertising campaign. Appeals to all ages and classes, not a toy but a real musical instrument. We are now selecting the territory in the United States and Canada. Any live general agent should make from $4000 to $20,000 per year on this proposition. FIANGETTE ADV. COMPANY MANAGER will be at the Angelus Hotel, Friday and Saturday, 20 and 21. Call or phone for appointment.

WANTED—AN ACTIVE, STEADY, RELIABLE MAN gardener, between 30 and 50 years of age, for large, improved city place, prefer man with South-ern California references, who has knowledge of Southern California plants, shrubs, soil, etc., who is quick in action and can manage entire place economically, and keep in high state of cultivation. An unfurnished room, with bath and light, but do not care to board him. Address fully, giving age, nationality, experience, references, wages expected. Address H, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED, STRONG, WORKING gardener, between 30 and 50 years of age, for large, improved city place, prefer man with South-ern California references, who has knowledge of Southern California plants, shrubs, soil, etc., who is quick in action and can manage entire place economically, and keep in high state of cultivation. An unfurnished room, with bath and light, but do not care to board him. Address fully, giving age, nationality, experience, references, wages expected. Address H, box 12, TIMES OFFICE.

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Rock-hauler, quarry, young man, $30 and fd.; stacker and polisher, country, $17.50 week; pantryman, city, $45 and meals; night porter and runner, $60; packer's laundry, city, $2.50 day; 2 for mine, $4, 8 hours; milker, 20 cows, $40 and fd.; milker, 15 cows, $30 and fd.

WANTED — BOOK-KEEPER FOR MERCHANDISE store, country, $60; bookkeeper, city, $65; bookkeeper, $75; experienced electrical estimator, clerical man to meet public, $75; discount clerk, city, $80; experienced shipping clerk, office man, $90; experienced electrical bookkeeper, $100; experienced electrical bookkeeper, $100; bookkeeper, $100; stenographer, wholesale hat salesman; young typist, $55; boys for bank messenger. MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASSN., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—SALESMEN.
We are open for several first-class salesmen for our townsite of EL SEGUNDO. Great things are being done by the Standard Oil and Pacific Electric Railway, and many additional homes, etc., are to be built, making our proposition a splendid one in every way. Call without delay and see our salesmanager, MR. R. R. LAWES. The El Segundo Land & Improvement Co., 600 S. Hill st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—YOUR WORK PLUS EXPENSES WHILE learning trade of automobiles, electricity, plumbing, bricklaying. Actual garage work and contract jobs; the faster you learn, the more you earn. Three trades pay $5 daily and work easily obtained. Catalogue free. UNITED TRADE SCHOOL CONTRACTING CO., 324 Pine st., two blocks east of Angeles Mesa car, north of Pontoffice. See adv. in "Learn Trades" column.

WANTED—THE FACTORY REPRESENTATIVE FOR one of the finest house to house and office specialties will close the exclusive general agency with a live party in financial position to carry a liberal quantity of supplies for the stagents. If you are interested in getting in a permanent profitable business and are willing to devote a reasonable amount of time address SAMUEL C. OSBORN, Angelus Hotel, commencing Friday, Feb. 20, or phone for appointment.

WANTED—
LETTER CARRIERS AND POSTOFFICE CLERKS FOR LOS ANGELES OFFICE.

We want immediately some bright young men about 20 years old to prepare for these fine positions. Salary $800; rapid promotion. Address at once MR. HOFF, 625 Security Bldg. See Instr. Course Adv.

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Centrally located, 2 blocks from Broadway and Clay sts.; 200 feet higher; facing Olive and Clay sts.; pure air, quiet and homelike. LARGE, LIGHT, WELL FURNISHED ROOMS AND 3-ROOM APARTMENTS, WITH FREE TELEPHONE IN EACH APARTMENT; $12 per month and up; all three meals with your family if you care for them. Elevator on Clay st., near Third st. Phones: A5022, Home 10485.

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Broadcasting apartments, summer rates, new concrete building; elegant apartments well heated by printer; dishes washed, beds made; tennis courts, in private park; 2 blocks south of Third and Broadway. Phone: 10108, or MAIN 894.

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Between Seventh and Eighth sts., car lines.
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On the hill, overlooking entire city; only two and a half blocks from Fourth and Broadway; service; private porches, all with steam heat, telephone; elevator service, etc. Rates $25 to $65.

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THE OLIVER.
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Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY—
is the "earth itself."
Here it is, $30,000, 3 years, 7 per cent., 33 acres, near Windsor Square, Vine and Melrose; conservatively worth $100,000.
Also $10,000, 7 per cent., on $60 feet on Jefferson, between Normandie and Brighton.
Also $5000, 8 per cent., on $45,000 industrial, near 24th and River.
F. A. PATTEE,
515 Trust and Sav. Bldg. Main 1107, 62525.

WANTED — $800, 8 PER CENT., LOT NEAR Washington and Vermont, value $1800.
$2500—8 per cent., on new bungalow and three-room house in South Hollywood and large lot at Oak Knoll; total value $5500.
$7000—8 per cent., on corner Pasadena ave. and Daly; value $15,000.
$1200—7 per cent., secured by house and lot, 1235 E. 22nd st.
For further particulars, 416 LAUGHLIN BLDG. A1645; Broadway 4175.

WANTED—MONEY—
$4000—Three years, seven per cent., on elegant new two-story four-flat building on W. 20th st. and Hoover. This property will have an income of $100 per month and the actual cost of land and building is $9500. See T. M. PERRY, 611 S. Hill st. 10345; Broadway 2468.

WANTED—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGES.
$3200—Near Figueroa and 10th.
$2800—12th near Georgia.
$2800—8 rooms, modern, Hollywood.
$2750—8 rooms, modern, Glendale.
GEO. BRADBEER, 605 Union Oil Bldg.
A1048; Broadway 7421.

WANTED — MONEY; $1800, 3 YEARS, 8 PER cent., on strictly modern 6-room bungalow, with hardwood floors, mantels, etc., adjoining real paper and of artistic design. To see property take University or W. 36th st. car to Western ave., north to W. 36th st. and west to 3rd 8th st., value $3600. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 229 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring sts.

WANTED — $1800, FOR THREE YEARS, 9 PER CENT. INTEREST TO CONSTRUCT STORE BUILDING IN HOLLYWOOD. FIRST MORTGAGE SECURITY. NO AGENTS. ADDRESS H, BOX 95, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MONEY—A CLIENT OF OURS HAS FIVE mortgages, amounting to $5850, upon which he desires quick action; these cover improved properties at 50 per cent valuation; we are authorized to offer 9 per cent. and a bonus if handled before Saturday. For location and particulars about security, address MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 229 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring sts.

WANTED—
Purchaser for $2000 second trust deed on 10-acre, full-bearing orange grove at Duarte; ranch valued at $15,000, has $2000 first mortgage at 7 per cent.; will discount liberally; trust deed has two years to run. Address O, box 348, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BUILDING LOAN OF $4500 FROM PRIvate party at 7 per cent., for 3 years; property now under construction and money is for use on contemplated building is completed, rents will pay 10 per cent. net on a price of $12,000. If you have money, this is A. W. LEIGHTON, 3505 Security Bldg. Main 1622, F4246.

WANTED—
$20,000 ON INCOME PROPERTY.
Have well-located apartment-house of 50 rooms; income $4300 a year; value $45,000; will pay good rate.
GILBERT-KIRBY CO.,
Main 5243. 307 Van Nuys Bldg. F3511.

WANTED—TO BORROW $500 AT 10 PER CENT., for one year, secured by second mortgage on new 6-room bungalow in best portion of Alhambra, valued at $4000. Subject to small loan of $1800, will pay $50 commission for loan.
Owner, 222 LAUGHLIN BLDG. A5795; Main 6792.

WANTED—$37,500, 10 PER CENT., 18 MONTHS, on gilt-edged security; income $5000 per annum above taxes and insurance. Corner lot, value $90,000. FRANKLIN HARPER, 1102 Hollingsworth Bldg. F3673, or Main 984. Principals only.

WANTED—$8000, ONE OR FIVE YEARS, AT 7 PER CENT. ON WAREHOUSE PROPERTY; VALUE $17,000. $21,000 ASKED AT $150 PER MONTH. SEVENTH STREET IMPROVEMENT CO., WILSHIRE 1815.

WANTED—LOAN, $2150 WANTED FOR 3 YEARS at 6 per cent. interest, for which first payment are, opposite Manual Arts High School. Cash value $6000. Inquire 902 TITLE INSURANCE BLDG. A1946, Main 5253.

WANTED—MONEY—$600, 3 YEARS, 8 PER CENT., on rental property on Pecan st., near First st.; valued at $1700, and renting for $16 month. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 229 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring sts.

WANTED—$2900, 3 YEARS, AT 9 PER CENT. INTEREST, ON HOLLYWOOD INCOME PROPERTY. PRINCIPALS ONLY. ADDRESS H, BOX 176, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO SELL.
I have to offer a gilt edge land mortgage of $10,000 for 3 years, 7 per cent. secured by land in the heart of the San Joaquin Valley.
Bdwy. 7228. J. W. CLINE,
A4059. 1001 Central Bldg.

WANTED—
$125,000, at 8 per cent., secured by large acreage on National blvd., in Santa Monica; loan can be made for two years without commission. Address O, box 357, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — MONEY — $12,000, 7 PER CENT., 3 years, or $25,000 new brick building in heart of business district, leased for 40 years; no commission paid. LESLIE E. MOORE, 138 Pine ave., Long Beach.

WANTED—FROM PRIVATE PARTY AT 7 PER cent., $4000, for three years on new strictly modern flat building. Income $80 per month. This is an A1 loan. Address A3l, box 454, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — MONEY, $21,000, 3 YEARS, 7 PER cent., on improved business property, leased for $4000 per month; valuation $75,000. No commission paid. LESLIE E. MOORE, 138 Pine ave., Long Beach, Cal.

WANTED — MONEY, $1800, 3 YEARS, 8 PER cent., on house, No. 1812 Middleton Place, between Van Ness and Wilton Place; value $3800; bonus of $18 to lender. See house and call at 529 DOUGLAS BLDG., to get key.

WANTED—FOR SALE, TRUST DEED, $17,300, payable $2300 per year. Need money. Make offer. Close-in city property. No risk.
A4232. SIDNEY O'NEIL & CO.,
Main 5061. 416 Laughlershim Bldg.

WANTED—$2500, FIRST MORTGAGE, 3 YEARS, 8 per cent., security; $19,000, 5 acres, located near Fairdrown and Pasadena short line. BAIERSKI, 206 Bryson Bldg. F5888.

WANTED—FOR SALE—$4000, 6 PER CENT., first mortgage, secured by 80 acres of alfalfa land; value $8000; will discount mortgage $400. REDIN, 407 Grant Bldg. Phone F7961; Main 3744.

WANTED—BY OWNER, $8000 AT 7 PER CENT., on good centrally located income real estate; no agents. Address O, box 496, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—I HAVE $200 TO PAY DOWN ON LOT. Want to borrow balance to pay for lot and build. Can furnish bond. Address H, box 272, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — $5500, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT. quarterly, by owner, on new colonial home, fine location in Wilshire. Gilt-edge security. Address H, box 178, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$10,000; 7 PER CENT., 5 YEARS. Cosmopolitan business property; income $900 a year; lot alone worth $20,000. FRANKLIN HARPER, 1102 Hollingsworth Bldg. F3673 or Main 984.

WANTED — $50,000 ON LARGE PROPERTY ON Hill st., worth $160,000; will pay 6 per cent. interest. F1009.

WANTED—$4000, 7 PER CENT., ON HANDSOME 10-room residence, large lot, Wilshire section. H. C. COLLINS, 729 Story Bldg. F6830, Main 7134.

WANTED—$16,000, TWO YEARS, NO AGENTS, NO commission, best of security. Address H, box 126, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$1500, 7½ PER CENT., MODERN 1½ story residence, $1100, 8 per cent., new bungalow. Address H, box 127, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
Second trust deed due in two years, 8 per cent., secured by 260 acres, San Diego County. Discount $100. 431 BYRNE BLDG. Broadway 534.

WANTED — $2000, $400, $600, $800, $1000 AND $20,000 on first trust deeds, improved real estate at 8 per cent. to 12 per cent. CARSON, 201 Security Bldg.

WANTED—$6000 FOR 3 OR 5 YEARS AT 6 PER cent., $50,000 worth of close-in business property. GEORGE CORTELYOU CO., 834 Bradbury Bldg. Main 1302.

WANTED—$800, 3 YEARS AT 8, ON 5-ROOM modern bungalow, lot 50x150. This is owners' home. M. E. HANLEN, 325 Story Bldg. F2705.

WANTED—$1500 AND $3000 AT 8 PER CENT., near S. P. Station. MAIN 191, F6107.

WANTED — $18,000 AT 7½ PER CENT., LONG Beach, central business. Worth $50,000. F6107.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY.
$450 for 3 years, 10 per cent., on vacant lot worth $1000.

$14,000 for 3 years, 7 per cent., on 65 acres adjoining city limits, worth $130,000.

$1600 for 2 years, 7 per cent., on Westlake ave. cottage, 40-foot lot.

$4000 for 3½ years, 7 per cent., on good residence on West 8th st., 9 rooms, 50-foot lot, value $8500.

$1250, 3 years, 8 per cent., brand-new, modern, 5-room bungalow, just off York blvd. Worth $2000.

$5000—3 years, 8 per cent., 2-story 10-room residence on 55-foot lot in North Wilshire district.

$5000—3 years, 7 per cent., on 8-room 2-story house in Ramona Park, modern, Ruud heater, garage, etc. Lot 150x160. Value $11,000.

$1000, 3 years, 7 per cent. on one acre at Ramona Acres, good 5-room house, lawn, trees, etc. Worth $2000.

$4000 for 3 years, 7 per cent., on 50-foot corner lot on Normandie, with modern 8-room 2-story residence and 5-room cottage in rear. Worth $6000.

ARTHUR L. KEMPER, Mgr. Loan Dept.,
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Home 69286. Main 2888.

WANTED—MONEY.
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Want $25,000 for 3 to 10 years at 5 per cent. on 3-story and basement new apartment building located in the close in, choice, high district. Ten minutes' walk to Broadway. Property cost $53,500 and is under 10-year guaranteed lease, $3460 per month.
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WANTED—
Two building loans, $1500 and $1700, at 8 per cent.; properties when completed will aggregate $4250 and $4500; for bungalow building loans those are unexcelled. Address F, box 332, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—FROM PRINCIPALS ONLY, $2500 FOR 3 years, 7 per cent., on a house and lot on 20th st., between Main and Grand ave. This is close in, staple property, worth $7000.
A. W. ROE,
612 R. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—$15,000, SIX MONTHS, AT 8 PER CENT. Security first mortgage on real estate, appraised at $75,000.
W. G. LANE, 1002-7 Trust and Sav. Bldg.
Phones: 10647, and Main 147.

WANTED—LOAN $2250, 3 YEARS, 8 PER CENT. on 6-room bungalow, southwest, value $4500; a good loan.
F5177. R. W. KINSEY, Broadway 394.
310 Trust & Savings Bldg., Sixth and Spring sts.

WANTED—$50,000 IN SMALL LOANS, $2000 TO $7000, at 8 per cent. interest on Imperial Valley lands; water rights and title the best; parties having money to loan write FOLLIS, ALLEN & LA PORTE, El Centro, Cal.

STOCKS AND BONDS—
Mortgages.

WANTED—L. A. INVESTMENT STOCK.
Will take at fair price, part payment on my new 10 income flats. Address F, box 408, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WILL PAY HIGHEST PRICE FOR L. A. GOLD notes, Addressograph, Stockyards; Western Building; L. A. Building, Yellow Jac, Gibraltar, Standard Gold Notes, LINDENBAUM, 335 Security. A2338.

FOR SALE—$1000, PAST DUE GOLD NOTE, 9%; 100 L. A. Pacific Home Stock. WILLARD, 623 S. Spring. A4515.

500 SHARES OF ANGELUS HOSPITAL STOCK AT 50c. Phone W. H. SUTCH. Main 107.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—CONTRACTORS — HOTEL KEEPERS equipment, including kitchen utensils, dishes, tents, cots, mattresses, also construction machinery. Must sell at once. Can save you big money. See or phone MR. GRACEY, 616 P. E. Bldg. Phone Broadway 1234.

FOR SALE—FIXTURES, ABOUT HALF PRICE, consisting of grocery stand, meat counter, lunch counter, cafeteria, delicatessen, candy and ice cream parlor, soda fountain; tailor shop, cigar stand; all kinds of showcases; buy, sell or exchange one piece or complete outfit. L. C. SKEELS, at new location, 1610 S. Main. Office, desks, filing cases, etc., at the old number, 515 S. Main.

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THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Kewanee-Los Angeles Reunion.

The Kewanee-Los Angeles Society will hold a reunion on Saturday in Bixby Park, Long Beach.

Montana Annual.

The annual meeting of the Montana Society will be held at Sycamore Grove Monday. Those attending are expected to carry their own lunch, while the society will supply coffee. Speeches will be made by Martin Maginnis, J. K. Toole and J. E. Rickards.

Address Before Men's Club.

The Men's Club of St. John's Episcopal Church will meet this evening and hear an address on "Currency," by J. M. Elliott, president of the First National Bank. There will be other interesting numbers of the programme and the meeting will close with a smoker.

Reception to President.

The Jonathan Club will extend a welcome reception to its president, H. E. Huntington, tomorrow evening. Following the dinner, there will be a motion picture show and other forms of entertainment.

Walker Unanimously Called.

The congregation of the First Presbyterian Church of Long Beach held a meeting last night, called two weeks ago, and unanimously voted to call Dr. Hugh K. Walker of Atlanta to become its pastor. It seems to be a foregone conclusion among such of the friends of Dr. Walker as have been consulted that he will accept the call.

Miner Slashes Throat.

William E. Rhodes, a miner from the famous Hangtown district in the Sacramento Valley, attempted to take his life yesterday by slashing his throat with a razor. He was alone in his room at No. 225 South Hope street. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where first aid treatment was given in time to save his life.

Supervisors' Convention Postponed.

On account of washouts in outlying districts it was announced last evening that the convention of the Supervisors of the thirty-eighth southern and central counties to take action on the State highway, which was to have been held in this city tomorrow, has been postponed until Saturday, March 7.

Hardware Men Rained Out.

Even the convention of the Retail Hardware and Implement Dealers' Association was knocked out by the rain yesterday afternoon, but the sessions will probably be held today at Symphony Hall, this being the second day of the convention. A banquet will be given at the Hollenbeck Hotel this evening.

To Tell 'Em in San Diego.

Internal Revenue Collector Carter went to San Diego yesterday, where he will spend the coming three days initiating the taxpayers of that city, county and vicinity into the beauties of the income tax law. While there he will receive returns of citizens who are within the purview of this latest attack on the low cost of living.

Associate Forester Here.

A. F. Potter, associate forester at Washington, and second in command in that service under Chief Forester H. S. Graves, will be at the Federal building today to make an official call upon Supervisor Charlton of the Angeles National Forest. For years Potter has been at the head of the grazing department in the forest service. Before that he was engaged in the cattle industry in Arizona.

Grinnell Alumni Banquet.

The Alumni Association of Grinnell College gave a reception and banquet last night, at Hotel Clark, in honor of Jesse Macy, professor emeritus of political science of that institution. For fifty years he has been identified with the college as student and professor. He is now 76 years of age, and young at that, and is retired on a Carnegie pension from active teaching. He has been a prolific writer on political economy and is widely known among men of letters.

Advertising Lectures.

John Renfrew, chairman of the Educational Committee of the Ad Club, addressed the students of the advertising class of Polytechnic High School Tuesday morning on the make-up of advertising copy. This is the first of a series of talks to be given the class by practical advertising men of the city. Next week B. O. Bilven, advertising manager for Harris & Frank, will take up another branch of this work. The class in advertising is under the direction of George W. Wessells of the University of California.

Occidental College Dedication.

The trustees of Occidental College decided yesterday to dedicate the new college buildings on the Eagle Rock campus, on March 26 and 27, for which occasion an elaborate programme is being prepared, and at which a number of prominent eastern educators will be present. On the night of the 26th, a great banquet will be held at Hamburger's cafe. Three new trustees of the college were elected, W. L. Stewart and George Huntsberger of Los Angeles, and Frank May of Pasadena. Officers of the board were chosen as follows: President, Frank P. Flint; vice-presidents, D. B. Gamble, W. E. McVay; secretary, W. S. Young; treasurer, Willis H. Booth.

Distinguished Banquet Guests.

Lieut.-Gen. Nelson A. Miles and Hon. Nathan Straus will attend the Chamber of Commerce banquet the 21st inst. Gen. Miles was stationed in this city in 1887 while in command of the now obliterated Division of Arizona.

Chamber's Annual.

The directors of the Chamber of Commerce held their annual meeting yesterday, preparatory to the annual banquet the 21st inst., and heard the reports of the various committees. The reports will be included in the annual report of the organization.

Strange Case.

DEATH RELIEVES WORRIED MIND.

MAN WITH ALLIGATOR SKIN IS SUDDENLY STRICKEN.

After Being Taken to Hospital Following Motorcycle Accident He Expresses Wish to Attendants that He May Die and His Hopes Are Fulfilled.

Charles Kenyon, the "alligater man," who amazed medical scientists by the peculiar formation of his skin, which was the same as that of an alligator, died at the County Hospital yesterday from injuries sustained Saturday night, when he was struck by a motorcycle. The accident occurred at Twelfth street and Central avenue. Kenyon had stepped off the curbing to cross the street when struck by the vehicle. The name of the motorcyclist is unknown.

Kenyon was a street sprinkler, living at No. 148 West Fortieth place. From babyhood he had suffered the strange affliction. His skin was cut into squares, which were puffed and horny, practically identical with the skin formation of an alligator. He never could explain the origin of the affliction, reporting that it had been natural to him since his earliest memory.

Doctors believe that it may have been the result of some terrible prenatal shock suffered by Kenyon's mother, in which an alligator was involved. From his youth Kenyon became terribly sensitive about the skin. Fortunately the formation did not appear on his hands or face. He did his best to conceal every vestige of the alligator skin. To do this, he lived the life of a recluse, refusing to meet persons socially.

When taken to the County Hospital he told the attendants that he hoped that he would die. His death was sudden. Coroner Hartwell will order an autopsy to fix the cause of death.

CAFETERIA BANKRUPT.

Franklyn S. Jenkins and Palmer P. Day, proprietors of the Rosarian Cafeteria, on East Colorado street, Pasadena, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday. The debts of the concern amount to $2870.51, of which $2123.07 is unsecured; the assets are scheduled at $3583, the fixtures furnishing $3500 of this amount. The stock on hand is valued at $75 and there is $8 in the bank to the credit of the firm. Of the debts, $234 is due employees of the place. Two insurance policies written but not paid for have been returned to the companies according to the petition.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.
[Advertising.]

Characteristic pictures of children. The Steckel Studio will give 25 per cent. discount on $10, $12 and $15 artist-proof pictures of children for limited time; to secure this great reduction cut out this ad and present it at the time of sitting. Awarded eighteen medals for artistic excellence and superiority. Studio, 326½ South Broadway, over Staub's shoe store.

Times School of Domestic Science. Free lecture Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 2 p.m. Second floor, New Times Building.

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The possession of a gallery of seven portraits, representing five generations and valued at $4000, including pictures of Marquis, Dukes and other members of French nobility dating back 200 years, is disputed by Miss Eugenia Benoist of Long Beach and her brother, Conde L. Benoist of St. Louis.

The brother brought suit through Attorney G. F. Zimmer, yesterday, to regain possession of the coveted heirlooms from the sister.

The litigants are the children of the late Louis A. Benoist, a banker, of St. Louis. Two of the portraits are of Gabriel and Charlotte Benoist, the great-great-great grandparents of Conde L. and Eugenia Benoist. Louis A. Benoist was married three times. The parties to the present suit are the children of the second marriage. The family has been prominent in St. Louis for several generations.

THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 18.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.86; at 5 p.m., 29.83. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 56 deg. and 54 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 98 per cent.; 5 p.m., 100 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., southeast, velocity 12 miles; 5 p.m., northeast, velocity 6 miles. Highest temperature, 56 deg.; lowest, 51 deg. Rainfall for season, 19.06 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The general decrease in pressure continued throughout the United States, resulting in increased temperature and precipitation throughout the central portion of the Mississippi Valley, southerly into Texas and northeasterly into New York. The area of low barometer which entered the California coast Tuesday is now central of the northern coast of this State, causing well-distributed showers from San Francisco to San Diego. The heaviest precipitation reported from stations in the United States was 1.35 inches at Pasadena. At 5 o'clock Wednesday morning Los Angeles received .16 of an inch, and at 8 o'clock .70 of an inch more had fallen, making .86 of an inch for the storm and 15.90 inches for the season. The further easterly drift of this depression will give rain and brisk southeasterly and southwesterly winds in Los Angeles and vicinity during the ensuing thirty-six hours. Southeast storm signals are flying at Venice, Redondo, San Pedro (Los Angeles Harbor,) Long Beach and Avalon.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain Thursday; brisk southeasterly to southwesterly winds.

For California south of the Tehachapi: Rain Thursday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Rain Thursday; brisk to high southeast wind.

Sacramento and Santa Clara valleys: Rain Thursday; brisk to high south wind.

San Joaquin Valley: Rain Thursday; brisk south wind.

Southern California: Rain Thursday; brisk to high southeast wind.

Arizona: Rain Thursday and Friday, except snow in mountain districts.

YUMA (Ariz.) Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 16.40 feet.

WHERE TO GO AND WHAT TO SEE
TODAY AND TONIGHT.

THEATERS.

Alhambra—Pictures ..... Noon to 10:30 p.m.
Arrow—Pictures ..... Continuous
Auditorium—Philharmonic Concert ..... 8:15 p.m.
Burbank—"Pretty Mrs. Smith" ..... 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Century ..... 7:45 and 9:15 p.m.
Clune's—Pictures ..... Continuous
Empress—Vaudeville ..... 2:15, 7:30 and 9:00 p.m.
Hippodrome ..... 2:15, 6:30 and 8:45 p.m.
Little Theater—"Anais" ..... 2:15 and 8:30 p.m.
Majestic—"Within the Law" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Mason Opera House—"Adele" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Miller's Theater—Pictures ..... Continuous
Morosco—"How D'ye Do?" ..... 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Mozart—Pictures, "The Sea Wolf" ..... 2:30 and 6:30 p.m.
Orpheum—Vaudeville ..... 2:00 and 8:00 p.m.
Palais de Danse—Vaudeville and Tango, Ninth and Grand ..... 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Pantages—Vaudeville ..... 2:30, 7:10 and 9:00 p.m.
Republic—Vaudeville ..... 2:30, 7:15 and 9:00 p.m.
Tully's Broadway—Pictures ..... Continuous
Woodley—Pictures ..... Continuous

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PERSONALS.

Gustave Brenner, who has extensive property interests in Los Angeles, and whose home is in San Francisco, is a guest at the Alexandria.

Francis V. Keesling, one of the stalwarts of the Republican party, and an attorney and clubman of San Francisco, is passing a few days at the Alexandria.

John Burnham, closely identified with the Chamber of Commerce of San Diego, accompanied by E. E. Hender and G. J. Champlin, attorneys of the southern city, is occupying a suite at the Angelus.

Charles K. Fields, secretary of the State Insurance Board, with headquarters in Sacramento, arrived at the Hollenbeck yesterday in company with A. D. F. Reynolds, an insurance man of San Francisco.

T. M. Quebedaux, president of the First National Bank of Gallup, N. M., is passing a few days at the Hayward. A. M. Heimeman, proprietor of a wholesale hardware store at El Paso, is also a guest at the hotel.

L. I. Cowgill of San Francisco, with his wife and son, arrived at the Clark yesterday. Cowgill is a retired banker. Among other guests at the hotel are A. Stanford Wright, a Boston professional man, and his wife.

A. P. Laird, in the shipping business in Seattle, is passing a few days at the Lankershim. H. A. Morgan, a Chicago grain man, and C. W. Kissney, interested in real estate near Phoenix, are registered at the same hotel.

H. F. Woodward, a former hotel man of Minneapolis; H. Francisco, a cattleman of Lone Pine, Cal., and E. M. Jeffers are among the guests at the Hollenbeck. Jeffers is auditor Sacramento county and is here to attend the convention of auditors of the counties of the State, which opens at the Hollenbeck today.

Dr. M. N. Avery, president of the German American Trust and Savings Bank, accompanied by Mrs. Avery and their daughter, Miss Florence Avery, will leave Friday for New York, whence they will sail on the steamship Konig Albert for the Mediterranean, visiting en route, Madeira, Gibraltar, Genoa and Naples. In Vienna, Dr. and Mrs. Avery will be joined by their son, Dr. Gorton Avery, who has been taking a post graduate course at Berlin and Vienna. The party will continue by automobile, coach and rail throughout Europe, returning to New York on the steamship Minnewaska May 23.

FATHER MORAN PASSES.

Beloved Priest Dies at the Home of His Sister, a Resident of Banning, After Long Illness.

Rev. M. F. Moran died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary Campbell, in Banning, Cal., early this morning, after a long illness. Father Moran was a native of Cashel, Ballinlough, County Rdscommon, Ireland. His studies were completed at St. Patrick's Seminary, Thurles, where he was ordained in 1906 for the diocese of Helena, Mont. He labored there for four years, when the severity of the climate and failing health obliged him to leave. At this time he was pastor of St. Philip's Church, Philipsburg, one of the important parishes of the diocese.

Father Moran came to Southern California in October, 1910, spending a short time in Santa Cruz and in San Luis Obispo. In January, 1911, he was appointed assistant at St. Vibiana's Cathedral, this city, and in the fall of this year he was appointed assistant at Holy Cross Church, where he remained until his health again failed him in 1912. He spent the following months with his aged father and mother and his family in his old home in Ireland, returning to California in January of last year.

Father Moran was a man of marked ability, while his charity and his gentle disposition endeared him to all of the people wherever he was called upon to exercise his sacred ministry.

The funeral will take place Saturday morning, February 21, at 9:30 o'clock, at St. Vibiana's Cathedral.

GETS HIS MILK ROUTE.

The District Court of Appeals has affirmed the judgment of the Superior Court of Los Angeles county in favor of the plaintiff in the action brought by R. W. Webber against Albert Hatcher Smith, involving the sale for $1000 of a milk route in Pasadena.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday: Name and age of groom, occupation, residence, birthplace; name and age of bride, occupation, residence, birthplace.

ALLALA—HUNT, Arvelo Allala, 24, clerk, Los Angeles, born Spain; Ruth Hunt, 20, Los Angeles, born Kansas.

ALLEN—HUNTER, Robert N. Allen, 26, laborer, Los Angeles, born Missouri; Ethel Hunter, 26, Los Angeles, born Missouri.

BERMAN—MORTON, Simon H. Berman, 21, Memphis, Tenn., born Russia; Minnie R. Morton, 17, Memphis, Tenn., born Russia.

BODDEN—BODDEN, Wilmer E. Bodden, 23, M. Bodden, 48, Los Angeles, born Missouri; Lola C. Bodden, 20, Los Angeles, born Missouri; Lola C. Bodden, 20, Los Angeles, born Missouri.

CACHO—PARACUL, Luis C. Cacho, 24, Los Angeles, born Spain; Josefa Paracul, 20, Los Angeles, born Spain.

CHAPMAN—HILLIER, James F. Chapman, 40, R. Hillier, 40, Los Angeles, born England; Elizabeth Hillier, 38, Los Angeles, born England.

CHOVIN—BERGMAN, Charles B. Chovin, 45, Beth A. Bergman, 45, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

DONOVAN—SANDERS, Edward Donovan, 40, Ethel V. Sanders, 28, Los Angeles, born Missouri.

FEE—JOHNSON—STEWART, Elizabeth Johnson, 28, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

FOOTE—LYMAN, Lewis Foote, 29, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Ethel Lyman, 24, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

FOWLER—JONES, Arthur A. Fowler, 24, M. Jones, 24, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

GOSS—RINDLEY, Joseph H. Goss, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Bessie E. Rindley, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

JAY—COX, Mark Jay, 23, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Arthur E. Cox, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

JONES—VAIL, Ira Jones, 28, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Ethel M. Vail, 22, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

LEIBOWITZ—KATZ, Sam Leibowitz, 27, Los Angeles, born Russia; Rose Katz, 24, Los Angeles, born Russia.

LOCK—MYERS, Alva Lock, 29, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Ethel Myers, 24, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

LORENZEN—RAMER, Henry Lorenzen, 21, Los Angeles, born Germany; Ida C. Ramer, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

MAHER—FURBECK, Alexander J. Maher, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Alice A. Furbeck, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

OLMSTEAD—HUMEK, Walter L. Olmstead, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Lillian W. Humek, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

PERUMEAU—SCHERRER, Rene Perumeau, 25, Los Angeles, born Switzerland; Rose Scherrer, 25, Los Angeles, born Switzerland.

PROCK—BARKSDALE, Albert F. Prock, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Ethel Barksdale, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

SAULANIER—PHILLIPS, Joseph C. Saulanier, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Lucille Phillips, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

STURGIS—McCLAIN, Robert H. Sturgis, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Ethel E. McClain, 24, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

TAGUE—COCHRAN, Glenn Tague, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Courtney Cochran, 20, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

TREMAYNE—WEBSTER, Maurice J. Tremayne, 21, Los Angeles, born Illinois; Mary M. Webster, 18, Los Angeles, born Illinois.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth, parents, residence, nativity and occupation.

COOK, Mr. and Mrs. John A., Jr., Los Angeles, February 14, a son.

EBY, Mr. and Mrs. Martin P., Pasadena, February 14, a son.

EGBERT, Mr. and Mrs. Harry L., Los Angeles, February 15, a son.

FOWLER, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C., Carolina street, Pasadena, February 15, a son.

FROTHO, Mr. and Mrs. Peter, Detroit street, Highland Park, February 17, a son.

HOLMGREEN, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J., East Forty-fifth street, February 14, a son.

LARA, Mr. and Mrs. Antonio, Alpine street, Pasadena, February 14, a son.

LEE, Mr. and Mrs. Harry S., Fair Oaks street, Pasadena, February 15, a son.

MANN, Mr. and Mrs. Emil C., Sixty-sixth street, February 9, a son.

OTTERVITCH, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan, North Bailey street, February 15, a son.

POPE, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B., Hospital, February 17, a son.

WAGONER, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Cleveland street, February 14, a son.

WALSTON, Mr. and Mrs. Emil S., Third street, February 15, a son.

SHUMSKOWSKY, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, Bartlett street, February 15, a son.

SPERACK, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman, Bridge street, February 9, a son.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BROWN, Ruth R. against Clement C. Brown. Cruelty.

CLAYBOURNE, Anna L. against Lester Claybourne. Desertion.

COX, Cora M. against Jesse Cox. Cruelty.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

AHLERS, Laura E. from John Ahlers. Cruelty.

CODRICK, Captain R. from U. S. Codrick. Desertion.

GRAVES, Charles H. from Ruth Graves. Cruelty.

SCHMIDT, Augusta from Max Schmidt. Cruelty.

VARGAS, Maria V. from Jose Vargas. Cruelty.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Names and places of death, with funeral announcements.

CHANDLER, Sarah E., Los Angeles.

HOLLISTER, Ruth C., Los Angeles.

HOWELL, Cecil A., Los Angeles.

JONAS, Mary A., Los Angeles.

McMILLEN, Mabel, Los Angeles.

SAFFORD, Ely C., Los Angeles.

WEI, Cheung G., Los Angeles.

DEATH.

With Funeral Announcements.

CUNNINGHAM. In this city, February 18, Robert O. Cunningham, aged 74 years, 6 months and 18 days, beloved husband of Marion C. Cunningham. Funeral services will be held at the Sterling Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Hope streets, Friday, February 20, at 2 o'clock p.m. Interment private.

DAVIS. February 14, Frank T. Davis. Funeral at the chapel of Pierce Brothers, Thursday at 10 o'clock. Interment Inglewood Cemetery.

DESHAYES. February 17, Yves Deshayes, 70 years. Funeral today at 8:30 o'clock from the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1127 South Main street. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

FREEZE. At the home of his son-in-law, T. Snyder, Charles A. Freeze, aged 74 years, late of Idaho. Lillian Snyder Freeze, Mrs. Funeral will be held from the residence, 1127 Lillian avenue, Pasadena, at 2 p.m., from parlors of Pierce Brothers, 345 South Grand avenue. Interment private.

GORDON. In Long Beach, Cal., February 18, Ruth Gordon, 8 years, 8 months and 18 days, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Gordon, 1127 Lemon avenue. Funeral services Thursday, February 19, at 2:30 p.m., from No. 617 East Ocean avenue, Long Beach.

HARRIS. February 16, Carl Harris, beloved husband of Rosie Harris, father of Mrs. Nellie Harris, Mrs. Lena Harris and Mrs. Alice Harris, aged 51 years. Funeral services in Los Angeles Lodge No. 99, B. P. O. E., Friday, February 20, at 2 o'clock p.m. Interment Home of Peace.

HENDERSON. At Venice, near Ocean Park, February 18, Alice, wife of W. T. Henderson, aged 39 years. Funeral services, 10:45 a.m. Thursday, February 19, at the residence of former pastor of Methodist Episcopal Church, Third street, Santa Monica. Interment Inglewood Park Cemetery.

MARTINONI. In this city, February 18, Emma, beloved wife of Kirkwood Martinoni, aged 31 years. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend the funeral services, which will be held at Masonic Temple, Broadway and Third street, Thursday, February 19, at 2 p.m. Interment Forest Lawn Cemetery.

PEIRSON. Anna Peirson, aged 68 years, late of Sweden. Remains at Smith's undertaking parlors, 1127 South Main street, until 2 p.m. today, when they will be taken to the Arcade Depot. Interment Los Angeles, Cal.

SMALL. At San Gabriel, Cal., February 18, Clifford Wagener Small, aged 2 years, 6 months and 18 days, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Small. Funeral today at 2 o'clock p.m. from the parlors of W. A. Brown, undertaker, 1127 South Main street. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

STOCKY. At Rosemead, Cal., February 18, Stocky. Funeral notice later. Pierce Brothers, funeral directors.

TANNER. Richard Tanner, aged 70 years. Remains at Smith's undertaking parlors, 1127 South Main street, until further notice later.

WATSON. February 17, 1914, Mary Watson. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Brothers, Grand avenue and Fourth street, Los Angeles, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Fellowcraft Lodge, No. 418, F. & A. M. Funeral services will be conducted from the Masonic Temple, Broadway and Third street, Los Angeles, Thursday, February 19, at 2 p.m., for the funeral of our late brother, Charles Chandler. J. Will Dee, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Master Masons are requested to attend the funeral of Past Master Charles Chandler, late of Fellowcraft Lodge, No. 418, F. & A. M., which will be held from the Masonic Temple, Broadway and Third street, Los Angeles, Thursday, February 19, at 2 o'clock p.m.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Los Angeles Lodge, No. 99, B. P. O. E., will convene in the lodge room at 1:30 p.m. (Thursday) to attend the funeral of our late brother, Carl Harris. Pizarro Sloan, Exalted Ruler. Arthur Wood, Secretary.

LODGE NOTICE.

West Gate Lodge, No. 376, F. & A. M., will confer the Master Mason degree (Thursday) evening. Initial work. Pizarro Sloan, W. M. Arthur Wood, Secretary.

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The annual complimentary given by Occidental College to the seniors and faculties of the high schools of Southern California this year be delivered by President Washington, in Throop Hall. President Bear says that many schools have already made applications for seats, and that will be given on March 6, in the afternoon. On Friday evening, March 6, at 8 o'clock, in First Congregational Church, 3 o'clock the same day, in the First Methodist Church, to speak in the interest of the college. On Tuesday evening, March 10, will speak in Pasadena, and at Claremont; Thursday, March 12, Friday morning, March 13, Sunday, 15th, at 3 p.m., night, meets the students of Throop Institute; Tuesday, March 17, day morning, March 18, guest of the Los Angeles Athletic Club, and in the evening will speak twice at Riverside.

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VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued. Ages and age given.

ALLAIA—HURT. Arnaldo Allaia, 32; Ann Hurt, 26.
ALLEN—LESTER. Robert M. Allen, 24; Pa Lee, 20.
BERMAN—MOSTYNG. Simon N. Berman, 2 Mostyn, 17.
BODEY—BOSHER. M. Robert, 26; William Bosher, 25.
CACHO—PARACUL. Lolo G. Cacho, 24; Lol ral, 22.
CHAPMAN—HILLIER. James P. Chapman, E. Hillier, 48.
CROVIS—HOSKINSON. Charles R. Crovis, both in Hollywood.
DONOVAN—SANDERS. Frederick C. Donov Ethel M. Sanders, 18.
FITZJURDON—STEWART. Joseph E. Fitzjur Elizabeth Stewart, 22.
FOOR—LLANO. Lewis Foor, 30; Ida Ila, 2
FOWLER—DOGGR. Arthur O. Fowler, 30; M. Rogers, 24.
GOSS—BINKLEY. Joseph M. Goss, 32; Ind bert, 22.
ISAT—COX. Mark Isat, 32; Lola Cox, 42.
JONES—VAIL. Arthur E. Jones, 31; Mary Vail, 28.
LEIBOWITZ—KATZ. Sam Leibowitz, 27; Ida 24.
LOCK—MYERS. Alva Lock, 20; Anna Myers Ida C. Barnes, 24.
LORENGER—BARNES. Harry L. Lorenger, 3
MARSH—PURCELL. Alexander G. Marsh, A. Purcell, 28.
OLMSTEAD—BLUMER. Walter I. Olmstead Lillian W. Blumer, 24.
PERUMEAU—MOOSHERIAN. Noble Perumeau Rosie Mooshekian, 19.
PROCH—BARRIGHT. Alfred P. Proch, 21; Ida Barbee, 21.
SAULSBALLE—PHILLIPS. Joseph C. Saulsballe Louise Phillips, 21.
STURGES—McCLEAN. Robert W. Sturges, 2 E. McClean, 24.
TAGUE—COOPER. Glenn Tague, 21; Dora Cooper, 20.
TREMAYNE—WEBSTER. Monroe F. Tremayne Mary M. Webster, 19.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

COOK. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Boy, 3004 Avenue 37, February 7.
EBY. Mr. and Mrs. Marion P. Daughter, 4 Fifty-sixth street, February 1.
EGBERT. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, Boy, 1 Rosewood street, February 7.
FOWLER. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Boy, 2 Carolina street, February 12.
FROTHIG. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent, Boy, 6 Oxford street, February 13.
HOLMGREEN. Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. B East Forty-fifth street, February 12.
LARA. Mr. and Mrs. Boy, 1 Soler street, February 14.
LEE. Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Boy, 5 Street, February 8.
MANN. Mr. and Mrs. David C. Daughter, Sixty-sixth street, February 10.
OTONVITCH. Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Boy, 1 North Soller street, February 8.
POPE. Mr. and Mrs. James R. Son, 2 Oxford street, February 11.
RAGONA. Mr. and Mrs. Vincenzo, Daughter Cleveland street, February 4.
RALSTON. Mr. and Mrs. David S. Boy, 1 Third street, February 12.
SHINSEKOWY. Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Daughter Bartlett street, February 5.
SPERACK. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, Daughter Bridge street, February 5.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BROWN. Ruth R. against Chester L.
CLAYCOMBE. Alma R. against Leland
COX. Cora M. against Archibald.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

AHLENS. Laura E. from John.
CODRICK. Capitola R. from W. H.
GRAVES. Charles H. from Myrtle.
SCHMIDT. August from Nellie M.
VARGAS. Mario V. from Jose.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Names and places of death.

CHANDLER. Burdette, Los Angeles.
HOLLESTER. Ruth C. Los Angeles.
HOWELL. Cecil A. Los Angeles.
JONAS. Mary A. Los Angeles.
McMILLEN. Michel. Los Angeles.
RAFFORD. Ely C. Los Angeles.
WEY. Cheung G. Los Angeles.

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

CUNNINGHAM. In this city, February 1 Robert O. Cunningham, beloved husband Marion G. Cunningham. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. at the Sterling Burke Co. Undertaking rooms, Friday, February 20, at 2 p.m.
DAVIS. February 14, Frank T. Davis. Funeral at the chapel of Sunset Thursday at 10 o'clock. Interment Cemetery.
DISHAYES. February 17, Victor Dishayes years. Funeral today at 9:30 a.m. from Cunningham & O'Connor. Interment Cemetery.
FREEZE. At the home of his brother, T. Snyder, Charles L. Freeze, late Lillian Snyder Freeze. Funeral will be held Sunday, at 2 p.m., from parlors of Sunset South Grand avenue.
GORDON. In Long Beach, Cora S. Gordon, 5 years, a native of California, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Funeral services Thursday, at 2 p.m., from No. 617 East Fourth Long Beach.
HARRIS. February 16, Cary C. Harris, 68 Sacramento, by Dreese Undertaking Co. No services in Los Angeles.
HENDERSON. At Venice, Cora Belle Henderson, wife of W. T. Henderson, Third street, Santa Monica.
Funeral services, 10 a.m. Friday, at parlors of Breese Undertaking Co., Third street, Santa Monica.
MARTINONI. In this city, August 9, Martinoni, a native of Kaffernen, Switzerland, aged 51 years. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend the funeral services to-morrow (Friday) morning, at 10 o'clock, from the chapel of Pierce Bros., Figueroa street, between Eighth and Ninth streets. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.
PETERSON. Anna Peterson, aged 56 years. Remains at Smith's funeral parlors.
SMALL. At San Gabriel, Col. Frederick Clifford Wentworth Small, aged 39 years. Funeral today at 10:30 a.m. from parlors of W. A. Brown, No. 1057 Pine street.
STOCKET. At Rosemead, Col. Private Stocket. Funeral notice later. Pierce Bros. & funeral directors.
TANNER. Richard Tanner, aged 69 years. Remains at Smith's funeral parlors, notice later.
WATSON. February 17, 1914, Robert Watson, a native of Scotland, aged 72 years. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. Co., Twelfth and Hope streets, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Hollenbeck Lodge, No. 325, F. and A. M., will convene in Masonic Temple, Thursday, February 19, at 1:30 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Chandler. J. WILL DICK, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Master Masons are invited to attend the funeral of Burdette Chandler, late of Valley or Pasco Lodge, No. 325, F. and A. M., which will be held at Pierce Bros.' on Thursday, February 19, at 1 o'clock p.m.

LODGE NOTICE.

West Gate Lodge, No. 322, F. and A. M., will confer the F. C. degree this (Thursday) evening. Master Masons and Fellowcraft Masons invited. AUGUST WATSON, Secretary.

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FOR HIGH SCHOOLS.

Occidental College Will Entertain Seniors and Faculties for Washington to Lecture.

The annual complimentary given by Occidental College to seniors and faculties of the schools of Southern California this year be delivered by Washington, in Temple Auditorium. President Baer says that [illegible] schools have already sent in applications for seats. The will be given on March 6, at 8 in the afternoon. On Sunday ing, March 8, he will speak First Congregational Church, 3 o'clock the same afternoon speak in the First Methodist in the interest of the school. On Tuesday evening, March 10, will speak in Pasadena; March at Claremont; Thursday, March Friday morning, March 13, at Sunday, 15th, Pomona; Monday night, meets the alumni of Institute; Tuesday, 17th, at day morning, 20th, he will be guest of the Los Angeles Athletic ing Club, and on Friday, March will speak twice at Riverside.

Moisture.

IN COMES DOWN AT RATE OF AN INCH AN HOUR IN LOS ANGELES.

Y IN THE GRASP OF SWIRLING WATER.

Brings More Than Four Inches in a Short Time.

Traffic Generally Halted and the Populace Floods Drive Out Families in Low Spots Have to Be Rescued—No Danger from Damage from Broken Reservoir.

[illegible] such an hour yesterday [illegible] the first time in the history of Los Angeles. More than [illegible] fell in ten minutes. The [illegible] in the grasp of swirling wa-

[illegible] 11 o'clock, noon, and 2 [illegible] inches of rain came up- [illegible] in a deluge which knows [illegible].

[illegible] the precipitation for [illegible] totaled 4:34 inches, bring- [illegible] total to 19.28 inches. [illegible] rainfall last season was [illegible] up to this same date [illegible] had fallen.

[illegible] the storm is variously [illegible] at between several [illegible] $1,000,000, largely to

NCE COMES; ITHER GOES.

[illegible] the Aleutian Islands, or [illegible] brand of weather [illegible], gets the blame. [illegible] to Local Forecaster [illegible] of the United States [illegible] Bureau, yesterday's [illegible] of that which originated [illegible] the Aleutian Islands [illegible] and swept down on [illegible] in January in tor-

[illegible] coast, but met with [illegible]," stated Carpenter [illegible] "but, according to in- [illegible] should move off [illegible] within a few

[illegible] of the storm, ac- [illegible] to the Weather Bureau, [illegible] off Eureka and [illegible] Wednesday to a [illegible] between Red Bluff and [illegible], and immediately [illegible] action. The center of [illegible] high barometric pressure [illegible] Montana Tuesday [illegible] over Manitoba. By [illegible] of the weatherman, [illegible] southeastward [illegible] the rains will fol-

[illegible] storm signals were [illegible] Monday morning along [illegible] south coast.

Benefits derived by agriculturists and others will total not less than $5,000,000.

Destruction, in the strict sense of the word, had no part in the storm or its results; there were no fatalities, or serious injuries, and the only real inconvenience was the marooning of the populace downtown and flooded homes in the lowlands.

Downtown Los Angeles was inundated and residence, industrial and commercial districts were flooded by the rain, but only for several hours yesterday.

Reservoir No. 5 could not retain the deluge from the heavens and the big dam above the Wild Animal Farm broke, flooding the lower East Side and causing many persons to seek refuge away from their homes.

IT'S A PROSPERITY-MAKER.

There has now been sufficient rain to guarantee one of the greatest seasons in the history of Southern California, in all fruit lines, and this late rain feeds the barley and beans fields and puts the crops in line for the greatest production known in many years.

The street car lines were crippled for a time yesterday, but the delay was not so great as might have been expected. Floods rushing across the tracks filled them with gravel, and emergency men had to be sent out to clear them before the cars could move.

Hollywood cars sailed across lakes and along rivers, without serious interruption. In many places the city streets were piled high with mud and stones. Large forces of men were promptly employed and set to work cleaning them up.

Lower Broadway sidewalks, between Seventh and Eighth streets, were overflowed, and at Eighth street basements were flooded.

RIVER FLOOD SCARE.

Unnecessary uneasiness was created by reports that became current early in the afternoon yesterday.

Many persons feared a recurrence of the flood that occasioned widespread destruction thirty years ago, when all railroads were torn up and Los Angeles was isolated from the rest of the world for six weeks.

Investigations show there is no danger of a destructive flood in the river or in the lateral washes and arroyos.

The river has much more than its regular wet-season flow and was rising slowly last night, but officials of the water department, who are keeping in close touch with all the con-

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One of the many rain-storm scenes last night.
It is described by the young gallant, Garvin Houston, as a "pleasurable inconvenience." He is carrying Muriel Sterling across the inundated pavement at Ninth and Hope streets.

Wet Walking.

STEAM AND ELECTRIC SERVICE IS HARD HIT.

Traffic Tied Up and Heavy Physical Damage Done, but Tenfold Benefits Assured in Other Ways—Many Persons from Other Cities Marooned Here—Status of the Railroads, Trains and Cars.

POSSIBLY a million in damage and trebled millions in benefits is the storm story, epitomized. Traffic connections are impaired, part of the city is under water, basements filled with costly goods are flooded, telephone and telegraph lines are working intermittently, or not at all, but the roll of solid benefits to agriculture and business interests is inestimable.

"Any damage done as a result of the unprecedented rainfall will be offset threefold, yes, tenfold, by assured benefits to growing crops, or land to be seeded shortly," said Local Forecaster Carpenter of the United States Weather Bureau, with emphasis, yesterday.

The same story of optimism is heard on all hands. The citrus men, with a bountiful crop on their hands, are already talking of a record-breaker for next year; the growers of alfalfa and beans and diversified produce are quietly exultant. Even traffic men, facing conditions without precedence in an impairment amounting to almost complete atrophy, of relations with the outside world, look to the future to retrieve what might be designated, with truth, as ephemeral losses.

Marooned in a sea of rail lines that do not connect with the outside world is the story, in brief, of the railroad world. For further information, a visit to the hotels, the apartment-houses and to friendly relations within this city will suffice. They—the paid and the friendly—are banking them three in a bed, and there is eagerness on both sides.

NO SERVICE THERE?

Northward and northeastward the Pacific Electric had no service at all and erstwhile residents of South Pasadena, Pasadena, Monrovia, Alhambra, Glendora, Pomona, and other foothill cities were our guests for the night. The west beach towns were also marooned for such as would not essay transfer over shaky bridges and through knee-deep rivulets. Santa Ana was also represented last night by the sojourn with us of many citizens unaccustomed to woo Morpheus here. The San Gabriel River—a trouble-maker of approved repute—was out of its banks and was threatening the Pacific Electric's new fill at Morton. Long Beach citizens were in luck for the four-track line was and is still in good shape. Trouble at Raymer tower also impaired facilities on the San Fernando Valley line.

With the Golden California Limited, east bound, marooned between Lamanda Park and Pasadena by washouts, fore and aft, and the westbound limited, forced, by washouts, to back into San Bernardino and come in here over the Placentia-Fullerton line, the Santa Fe did not escape unscathed, as in the former storm. Its service to the East and to San Francisco and San Diego will not be impaired, however, as the line by way of Fullerton is in service.

COAST TIE-UP.

All service over the Southern Pacific's coast lines and on the Nordhoff branch has been indefinitely annulled, as a result of numerous washouts in the neighborhood of Ventura. The Lark was handled yesterday over the San Joaquin Valley line and all other trains were annulled. Service between here and Colton is in abeyance and many trains are tied up at San Bernardino pending the repair of damage to roadbed.

The Rio Hondo, running banksful, carried out a portion of the Salt Lake main line yesterday afternoon and left that road tied up. At Sycamore Grove a renewed fill melted under the action of the torrential rains and Glendale and Pasadena service was abandoned. The weakened condition of the bridge at Workman also resulted in the temporary annulment of service to San Pedro.

HITS THEM HARD.

Estimates of damage to steam and interurban lines run all the way from hundreds of thousands into millions of dollars. Precise figures will not be obtainable for some days, as the raging water carried away telegraph poles and lines and left headquarters here without means of communication with the various stations.

"The worst in history," said C. J. Balch, assistant to General Manager Nutt of the Salt Lake. This view was reiterated by other railroad officials. Though perhaps not the heaviest sufferer, the Pacific Electric alone is understood to have sustained $250,000 in damage as a result of the storm.

Within the city the Los Angeles Railway sustained losses, both physical and in revenue. The detailing of impaired service would extend to practically every line of the company and every portion of the city. In many places the track was severed by raging floods which reached the floors of the cars and in more cases to the motors.

Along East Sixth street the manholes of the sewer became spurting vents for water during the storm and flooded the street to the building lines. On the Hawthorne line a bank caved in at Baldwin Hills and covered the track with debris. During the height of the storm many cars using the business streets were halted by accidents, as at Broadway and Fourth street, where automobile after automobile went into holes created by a tearing up of the street for company improvements.

Some of the incidents of the storm were the caving of a bank at the Hill-street tunnel, which tied up the Pacific Electric's Hollywood service; the flooding of the interlocking plant at Slauson Junction, so that right of way could be given only to Pacific Electric trains; and the settling of the old Southern Pacific tunnel under the Pacific Electric's line to the long wharf at Santa Monica so that the

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Threatening.

RESERVOIR DAM BREAKS; FLOODS THE EAST SIDE.

Bedlam Loosed at the Wild Animal Farm When Wall of Water Rushes Down on the Imprisoned Beasts. Keepers Toil Valiantly and Successfully to Save Them. Park Lakes Overflow and Streets Are Rivers.

BEDLAM, equaled only in the day of Noah when the uninvited animals of the forest were refused admission to the ark, broke loose at the Wild Animal Farm yesterday afternoon when the rapidly-rising waters in Reservoir No. 5 burst the big dam and came rushing down the side of the embankment, flooding the cages and cascading on to Eastlake Park and down every possible outlet toward the river.

The wild animals sensed the danger long before it became imminent. With the heavy downpour they began to tramp back and forth in their narrow confines and to howl most dismally. With the first rush of the water over the twenty-foot dam, holding back the flood of the twenty-five acre lake that has for years acted as the drain for the Rose Hill district, they set up a terrific commotion.

All of the small cages on wheels were pulled out, mostly by hand power, every available man in the vicinity having been pressed into service to rescue some of the valuable specimens in captivity. At a late hour last night there was still danger to numbers of the large animals, which are housed in stationary cages and can only be removed by taking each animal out under leash.

People residing in the neighborhood feared for their lives, reports having been circulated that some of the lions and tigers had broken down their bars and were transforming the peaceable hills into old-time jungles for danger. A large force of men from the street and park departments were hurried out to assist in the prevention of inundation by the sudden breaking of the dam.

FATALITIES AVERTED.

"Had it not been for the use of adobe mud in the construction," said T. W. Moore, "the outcome might have been much more serious and probably the approaches boarded up for a time to prevent any catastrophe through attempts of vehicles to pass over it until inspection proved it available.

The slough running through the residence section from Westmoreland caused a number of fatalities. As it was, the top of the dam for a distance of about twenty or thirty feet crumbled away gradually until a channel ten feet deep had been made in the bank. This will most likely be much deeper by morning and if it reaches twenty feet, the reservoir will be completely drained."

Much of the water coming from the reservoir was diverted to the slough running back to the County Hospital and heavy crews of the Pacific Electric and Southern Pacific were at work ballasting the tracks to prevent washouts. Mission road was one big river and Eastlake Park was entirely submerged.

IN THE CITY.

Sunset Park drained Wilshire, Rampart, West Sixth, Occidental, Hoover and numerous other streets in the fashionable district and was largely under water. Even Wilshire boulevard was more than a foot under in that neighborhood and a number of automobiles were stalled in the swift current. Westlake Park also received its share of the surplus moisture and the lake was well over the banks and on its way to the street level before the end of the downpour.

The bridge at Avenue Thirty-five and Pasadena avenue, which was seriously impaired by the early rains and which had just been repaired by the street department, was early in the afternoon declared unsafe and later the new supports and other repair work was washed away, leaving the bridge impassable.

The bridge over the Los Angeles River at Ninth street was practically put out of commission by the water pouring down the end of the streets on each sides and washing the bridge almost clear of the roads. Watchmen were stationed at both ends and

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HOIST BY HIS OWN PETARD.

Weather Man Can't Get Home on Account of the Flood Water Downtown.

Even the weather-man took to the cyclone cellar.

"Can't get home. Will spend the night at the University Club," succinctly stated local Forecaster Carpenter of the United States Weather Bureau last evening. "There is six feet of water between me and my home, No. 120 South Manhattan place."

Two inches of rain fell between 12 and 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, shattering all records in the thirty-seven years that the government has been making observations here. Between 1:15 and 1:45 p.m., there was 1 inch of rain, which was also a new record.

Previous to the January storm Carpenter predicted twenty inches of rain or over for Southern California during the season. The total up to 5 o'clock last night was 19.08 inches.

SKIDDING AUTO FREAKISH.

Sweeps Two Men from Steps of Street Car, Leaving Bruises as a Memento.

Alfred Elofson of No. 857 West Fiftieth street and Cyril Brown of No. 626 West Forty-first drive were thrown from a Los Angeles Railway car at Twenty-second street and Grand avenue, and seriously cut and bruised, when an automobile driven by F. A. McAllister of No. 318 West Adams street skidded on the wet pavement and knocked them from the step on which they were riding.

Elofson is a carpenter, aged 34, and was on his way home. Brown is 17 years old, and a painter. He was seriously cut about the left knee cap. Elofson was slashed over the right eye and suffered a severe shock.

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Traffic Tied Up By Washouts.

Education Suspended.

SCHOOLS UNDER WATER; RAFTS RESCUE PUPILS.

THE storm king vanquished Minerva yesterday in the schools. So swift was his onslaught that the lady had no time to lift her skirts and make a getaway. Wherefore, in many of the schools, of the southeast and southwest especially, teachers and classes were marooned until late at night. At Cahuenga school, Miss Horgan, principal, was detained with a room full of children until late in the evening. Some of the Cahuenga-school children were called for in autos and taken home. At Fifty-second-street school teachers were notified by phone not to allow the children to depart on any terms until called for, the school being surrounded by a two-foot river.

At the Board of Education rooms three operators were kept busy answering calls of parents regarding schools, and sending messages to pupils.

Manual Arts High was dismissed at 2:30 o'clock and even at that hour benches were used as bridges to permit the pupils to cross the streets.

Delivery wagons were utilized at Thirty-sixth-street school, near St. Andrews place, and at Thirty-seventh-street-school, corner of Budlong, several express wagons and vans carried children to their homes. Jefferson-street-school was dismissed early in the afternoon, its first floor under two feet of water.

Griffin-avenue-school, near North Broadway, was surrounded by five feet of water, and the principal, Miss Cowan, and several teachers and many pupils were held in school. No auto or wagon could get near, the water around rising as high as the window sills. At 5 o'clock rafts succeeded in reaching the windows and teachers and pupils were rescued.

In the river districts the conditions were also desperate. At Hewitt street, the sloyd teacher, Miss Ada Miller, escaped by a window to a raft, and many pupils were taken across the streets on rafts. At Macy-street school a regular ferry of rafts hastily constructed in the sloyd room ferried the children across the street.

A fire engine was called on to pump out the cellar at East Seventh-street school, and the same vehicle conveyed several youngsters to their homes.

The school auto trucks were dispatched to Utah-street school to take the children home, as the school was standing in several feet of water.

Inland Sea.

THOUSANDS OF ACRES INUNDATED BY STORM.

COVINA, Feb. 18.—The San Dimas wash, which this afternoon reached the dignity of a river, overflowed its banks and inundated the town and surrounding country. Torrents flowed across the principal streets and stores and many homes were flooded.

South of the city the storm waters gathered and an inland sea of 5000 acres is formed tonight, inundating citrus groves and other ranch lands. Citrus fruit trees have been gouged out of the soil and more damage has been done in that way than in any previous storm.

On Citrus avenue the water was three feet deep and raging like a millrace. Persons who attempted to wade it could barely stand their ground. Sand bags were piled up in the endeavor to keep the water out of some of the stores, but the attempt was soon given up as useless.

Pupils in both the high and grammar schools were marooned all day by a completely surrounding plane of water and it was not until nearly dark when the flood had partially subsided, that they were rescued.

Two houses on the edge of the wash were carried away, contents and all, and four men who were in them barely escaped. They were compelled to climb a sycamore tree, where they perched four hours until rescued.

William Goralina, a cement contractor working for Manager Unruh of the Baldwin estate, was one of those in the tree. Another was an old man who nearly lost his life through exposure. Covina citizens finally were able to rescue them with ropes.

Covina never saw such a storm. The waters are subsiding and tomorrow citizens and ranchmen will endeavor to review the damages.

Service Hard Hit.

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street-car track was three feet below the street level.

Along Anderson and Macy streets the water ran six feet deep during the height of the storm and the canyon through which the Pacific Electric has its northern outlet was flooded by a raging torrent on its way to the river. It was the final blow to an attempt by the electric line to furnish service to the foothill towns.

When the water went over the sidewalks of the business district many basements filled with surplus stock were flooded. The vaults of the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank were flooded by a bursting drain and the fire department was called on to pump out the water.

Telephone and telegraph lines suffered heavily, but maintained a semblance of efficient service under demands for facilities which exceeded all previous records. Along some lines there was no service at all, and as a result excuses for enforced inability to keep business engagements or return home were still-born.

Electricity for the many uses which a complex civilization have created was also lacking in many portions of the city. The Pacific Light and Power Corporation's plant at Figueroa street and Slauson avenue was flooded early in the day by water backing up against the levee which was created by the Santa Fe's embankment by a lowering of street grades. This deprived some of the southern part of the city of "juice," and also hampered operations on the electric lines. The main plant of the Southern California Edison Company was also flooded during the day, and service to the business district was cut off for a short time.

Chief Engineer Joyner of the County Highway Commission also reported damage to many county roads as a result of the high water, while city officials reported various damage to the interests of the municipality.

MORTIMER ADVANCED.

Vice-Consul for Great Britain Is Raised to General Consular Agent in Southern California.

Southern California, that part stretching south of Santa Barbara, has received recognition of greatness from Great Britain, which government has just advanced C. White Mortimer from the rank of vice-consul to general consular agent for this territory.

Mortimer, since 1884, has been merely an aide to the Consul-General at San Francisco until recently, when the British Foreign Office announced that Southern California should be placed in direct connection with the government, rather than having affairs dealt with through several men.

Consequently the vice-consul was gazetted His Majesty's Consul.

"There are now about 60,000 English-born persons residing in Southern California, and for the benefit of these, as well as to prepare for the many who are expected here with the opening of the canal, the office was advanced to one of the first rank," said Mortimer yesterday.

Comparatively Light Fall.

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Drenching rains fell continuously today, tying up the Santa Fe's line to Los Angeles via Pasadena, the new mine line through Cajon Pass, and the Salt Lake and Southern Pacific between here and Los Angeles. Traffic is moving over the Santa Fe Fullerton line. No damage resulted from the storm locally.

Light Snowfall.

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gentle showers of rain this morning added 0.15 of an inch to the season's total precipitation, bringing it to 7.19 inches. The rain was unaccompanied by wind and was followed by warm sunshine, which will make it do the largest possible good to growing crops. At other points in the county the fall varied from 0.10 to 0.20 of an inch and in the mountains there was a light fall of snow.

CARPINTERIA VALLEY FLOODED.

Swollen Streams Overflow Into Fields and Towns—All Temporary Bridges Washed Out.

CARPINTERIA, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] For the second time this season the Carpinteria Valley was flooded today. All of the streams were swollen and homes were threatened as they were on January 25 when several houses were vacated and two were carried away by the water.

The stream from Fithians Canyon left a regular channel and played havoc across field. Old Town was under water. The homes of J. R. Heath and Mrs. C. F. Rystrom were completely surrounded.

All temporary bridges were washed out. J. V. Rockwell, the mail carrier, was forced to abandon his home again, a swift current striking the corner of the house and threatening to destroy it.

Train No. 21 of the Southern Pacific which was marooned here two weeks ago is being held on a side-track north of the city because of the condition of the fill, which was damaged by the other storm and has been repaired temporarily. Carpinteria Creek changed its course again and threatened to undermine another seventy-five feet of fill. A work train which was stationed here while repairing the line between Santa Barbara and Ventura struggled to save the fill but was only partially successful.

KNOCKED DOWN BY AUTO.

Englishman Suffers Broken Leg After Mix-Up With Sightseeing Carry-all.

W. H. Irvin, an Englishman, of No. 454 Sierra street, while attempting to board a truck belonging to Cooper, Coates & Casey, at North Broadway and Pritchard street, shortly after 6 o'clock last night, was knocked down by a sight-seeing automobile of the Golden State Auto Tours Company, his left leg being broken and his body badly torn and bruised. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital.

The sight-seeing auto, which was taking a large body of commuters to Pasadena and intervening points, supplementing the badly-delayed street car service, was driven by A. J. Hillan of No. 515 West Pico street. Hillan says he was going less than six miles an hour, but that he was unable to turn his unwieldly machine on account of the wet streets.

Irvin was about to be taken to his home by the Cooper, Coates & Casey truck. The driver of this drove on.

Up-State Rainfall.

FRESNO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A light rain, the first of the month, fell here early this morning, registering 0.31. The rain was well distributed over the central portion of the valley, but because of the lightness of the fall very little good will be noticed. Today's shower brought the seasonal total to 8.97; last year to date, 2.80; normal, 6.05. The rainfall at other points near Fresno was reported as follows: Merced Falls, 0.46; Firebaugh, 0.13; Friant, 0.44 and Piedra, 0.38.

WAITRESS PASSES CHECK.

Eighteen-Year-Old Damsel Who Dressed in Costly Silks Is in Trouble in Chicago.

Miss Helene Young, 18 years old, a waitress, who astonished her friends recently by a meteoric appearance in silks and fine linen, was arrested in Chicago yesterday on the charge of having passed fictitious checks on the Citizens Trust and Savings Bank. The check was passed January 10. The arrest was made by the Pinkertons.

While working in a local restaurant at a minor wage, she appeared before her friends one day in a new tailored suit, a costly hat and other decorations of value. She answered inquiries regarding the cause of the affluence by reciting how a relative had recently died and made her heiress.

THE FIGURES THAT DRIP.

Following are the California rain figures for the present storm and the season:

City—	Storm.	Season.
Los Angeles	4.24	19.08
Pasadena	7.25	27.55
Riverside	.91	10.63
San Bernardino	1.60	14.09
Santa Ana	.65	10.13
Redlands	.83	12.16
Fresno	.31	8.97
Bakersfield	.15	7.19
Santa Barbara	4.25	27.63
Beaumont	1.45	17.51
Long Beach	1.40	12.83
Whittier	2.46	16.93
South Pasadena	5.22	24.29
Van Nuys	3.41	18.80
Pomona	5.94	22.94
El Monte	3.50	....
Claremont	6.60	23.73
Oxnard	1.27	14.44
San Pedro	1.08	12.56
Venice	1.52	13.40
Santa Monica	1.37	16.16
Ventura	3.02	17.65
Santa Paula	2.60	....
Nordhoff	5.10	....
Ontario	4.15	20.50
Orange	.72	10.98
Corona	1.00	12.66
Covina	5.75	21.10
Monrovia	5.00	24.00
Redondo Beach	1.94	13.03
Eureka	.08	24.62
Red Bluff	1.46	25.83
Sacramento	.40	15.59
Mt. Tamalpais	.73	22.11
San Francisco	1.03	22.91
San Jose	.28	13.90
Fresno	.30	8.96
San Luis Obispo	.86	26.60
Merced Falls	.46	....
Firebaugh	.13	....
Friant	.44	....
Piedra	.38	....
San Diego	.50	7.94

Record Rainfall.

(Continued from First Page.)

ditions, say there is positively no danger of a flood.

Chief Mechanical Engineer Fisher of that department said:

AQUEDUCT ALL SAFE.

"There is no reason to feel alarm. A washout at the Pacoima Wash was occasioned by a very heavy rain just above that point, and the water rapidly spread out and ran off into the low places east of San Fernando.

"That water will come down toward Los Angeles at the rate of about three miles an hour and will certainly cause no trouble. We are keeping close tab along the entire line of the aqueduct and have no fears."

At Mojave there was nothing more than a heavy mist last night, and at Dry Canyon, where it rained heavily in the morning, the rain had apparently ceased for the present, and at the San Fernando reservoir there was but a drizzle.

At Fry's Camp, on the San Fernando syphon, there was a heavy rain at 7:30 last night.

From Cahuenga Camp, on the Ventura county road, three miles above the Los Angeles county line, the streams are reported not as high as last season.

FAITH IS JUSTIFIED.

Yachtsmen Jeered at San Pedro's New Weather Station But They Now do so no More.

The new rainfall station at San Pedro received an opportune christening yesterday. Local Forecaster Carpenter of the United States Weather Bureau took the paraphernalia for the station to the harbor Monday in an automobile, and thereby subjected himself to the gibes of members of the South Coast Yacht Club, who pointed significantly to smiling skies. Up to 5 o'clock last night the new station had registered a rainfall of 1.08 inches.

KIDDIES ENJOY STORM.

Unable to Get Home, They Spend Night of Enjoyment at the Boyle Heights Police Station.

All but forty of the 600 marooned pupils of the Utah-street school, between Clarence street and the river, were taken to their homes in the patrol wagon from the Boyle Heights Police Station and in express wagons commandeered for the purpose by the police.

The two-score who could not be taken to their homes on account of the torrents which flooded the streets were taken to the Boyle Heights station and there remained for the night, under the charge of Miss Florence Busch and Miss Ruth McEwen, teachers.

Supplies were purchased to feed the youngsters and the patrolmen and other officers about the station took occasional spare moments to keep them amused. The kiddies seemed to be having a delightful time and it was late before the sandman came to close their weary eyes.

Bloom Off Peaches.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rainfall: Santa Ana, storm 0.65 inch, season 10.13 inches; Orange, storm 0.72 inch, season 10.98 inches. So far no damage has been done by the storm except in knocking the bloom off a few early peaches. Ranchers are glad to see it rain. Sugar beet grain and bean men particularly welcome the downpour.

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SOUTHLAND FLOO BY RAGING

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RAILWAYS STOP.

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Clouds Rent.

CLOUDBURST SWEE IN SOUTH

SOUTH PASADENA, Feb. 18.—A sharp clap of thunder at 2 o'clock was followed by a deluge of water, a veritable cloudburst. In an hour 1.37 inches fell, believed to be the Southern California record.

Fair Oaks avenue, which is 160 feet wide, was a raging torrent from bank to bank, large rocks being rolled down the streets and hurled into the creek. Storm-drains were flooded everywhere. Fremont avenue at Mission street overflowed and torrents of water came down that thoroughfare, flooding all the stores, as well as the First Pasadena Savings Bank. Then the water turned into Fair Oaks avenue, swelling the floods on that thoroughfare.

During the hard rain the water was over five feet deep on Huntington drive, where any number of automobiles were marooned.

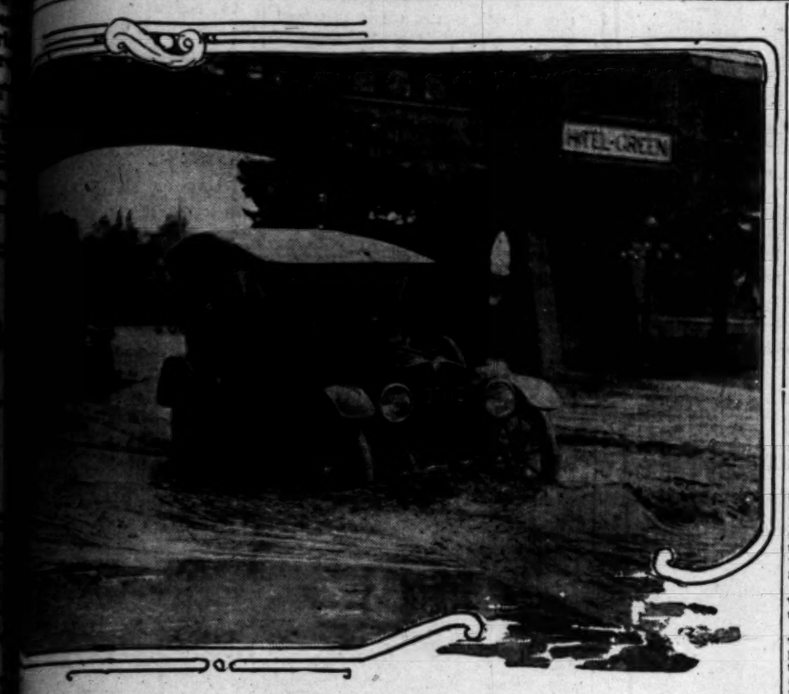
The Arroyo Seco was a raging torrent, more piles being taken out from under both the Pacific Electric and Santa Fe bridges, the officials fearing they would go down any moment. Cars have been run over either since the last storm, and very little repair work was done on either. Streets were washed all over the city, and in fact, the damage cannot be estimated until tomorrow.

The garage containing the automobiles of Otis Byers Manchester, on Fair Oaks avenue, whose lot slopes to a deep arroyo, was washed away, the building being erected over the arroyo. On account of telephone trouble, the manager details have been received by a phone in the city working order.

Reports state that the approach to the new cement bridge over the Arroyo Seco is in an unsafe condition.

Rainfall since midnight last night, 5.22 inches

orm-Waters Spread Over Vast Ranch Areas.



In Pasadena, where the most rain fell.

Water rushing down Raymond avenue at the height of the remarkable storm yesterday afternoon.

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One house not far from the Colorado-street bridge yesterday afternoon stood on an island but little larger than its foundations, with a lake about ten acres in extent around it. A cow swam from the place to the mainland. Several other buildings were partially undermined.

RIVERS IN STREETS.

When the heaviest shower fell yesterday afternoon the business streets of the city were turned into rivers and many of the store basements were flooded. South Raymond avenue was a river and could only be crossed by means of the bridge connecting the two buildings of the Hotel Green. Dozens of automobiles were stalled.

City Commissioner Salisbury last night had a large force of workmen in the Arroyo Seco trying to save the principal dams of the city water system from being washed out. Whether they will succeed will depend on the state of the weather this morning. If the dams are washed out the city water supply will be seriously crippled.

The public schools will probably be closed today. If it is determined to close them the whistle at the municipal lighting plant will be blown at 7:30 o'clock this morning. If the whistle does not blow the sessions will be held as usual.

The roads were washed out in all parts of the city and the entire northwest section was separated from the rest of the city for automobile and street car travel.

On Mt. Wilson .6 of an inch of rain fell and there was a high wind.

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No Pacific Electric cars have been running through the city since the heavy rainfall. Officials report the water over five feet near the Indian village and that no service will be given until tomorrow. A bus service is running from the Pacific Electric station to Pasadena and back, those that could went home in that way, but the most of the people are passing the night in Los Angeles, at hotels or with friends.

TRANSPORTATION STOPS.

Beach Cities Cut Off by Rail From Los Angeles—Bridge Is Threatened. Rain Heavy But Not Destructive.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VENICE, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The storm seriously interfered with Santa Monica Bay transportation today and weakened the Colorado-street bridge in Santa Monica so as to tie up local traffic for several hours. The washouts at Ivy Station and other points on the Venice Short Line tied up traffic between the beach towns and Los Angeles. The afternoon papers were brought here in motor trucks and many persons marooned through the tie-up of the electric lines came here in automobiles.

The rain was heavy but not destructive. So far the canals have not risen and save for the temporary isolation from Los Angeles no inconvenience was experienced. A number of anxious husbands stood about the railroad station on Windward avenue awaiting the return of their wives from Los Angeles. One two-car train which reached here about 4 o'clock was more than three hours on the way because of the soft road bed and water which poured across the tracks at several points.

THE revenue from ten acres Valencias in Tustin will exceed the income of 90 per cent. of the professional and business men of the country.

MONROVIA INUNDATED.

Water High as a Man's Head—Pacific Electric Put Out of Commission at Baldwin Hill.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MONROVIA, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A heavy downpour, almost equaling the cloudburst of three weeks ago, about 2 o'clock this afternoon carried away the Santa Fe bridge on South California avenue, filled Myrtle avenue, the main business street of the city, from curb to curb, and flooded many stores and shops.

On North Myrtle, near where Hugh Haven was drowned in the big storm of three weeks ago, the water was high as a man's head and flooded the adjoining towns. Wooden culverts have been torn up and carried down the torrents that fill the streets.

The Pacific Electric went out of commission at 2:30 o'clock, cars between Monrovia and Los Angeles being stopped by a washout at Baldwin Hill, about 100 yards from Baldwin avenue west of Arcadia. There is also a washout between Monrovia and Glendora. Over five inches of rain has fallen, bringing the total for the season up to 24 inches. On February 18 of last year the season's rainfall was only 5.28 inches.

With the washout on the Santa Fe the mail service is knocked out, and may not be resumed until tomorrow at earliest.

Life Lost.

YOUTH DROWNED; OTHERS ALMOST.

SANTA BARBARA VISITED AGAIN BY DISASTROUS FLOOD.

Parents of Boy Frantically Try to Cast Themselves Into Wild Torrent to Save Him—Railroad Traffic on Coast Lines Stopped and Bridges Carried Out.

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 18.—With one life lost, all trains tied up, and heavy loss to bridges and property reported, Santa Barbara today suffered the ravages of the second flood of the winter. It came almost on the heels of the flood that caused the death of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jones of Montecito and damage to property estimated at half a million dollars.

The one to lose his life in today's deluge was Emmet Osterman, aged 13, a newsboy. He was drowned when the bank of Mission Creek at Figueroa street caved in. His body has not been recovered.

Mission Creek was running bank full at 1 o'clock and several of the bridges were submerged. Serious damage is threatened. Heavy rains were reported from other sections of the country. Conditions at Montecito are said to have been nearly as bad as at the last big storm.

Railroad service is again crippled. A wash-out at Summerland prevented trains from entering the city from the south and a washout at Micheltorena street kept them stalled on the north of the city.

The drowned boy was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Osterman of No. 1109 San Pasqual street. About 2 o'clock this afternoon the little fellow was standing by the edge of the creek with his parents and neighbors, all watching the fury of yellow water whirling down the channel, when the bank suddenly gave way and the boy was percipitated into the flood.

A. X. Bettincourt and another neighbor, who were standing within a few feet of the boy, leaped to save him, but the flood whirled him out of reach and within a moment more he was lost to sight.

The parents were frantic and for a moment it required the strength of several neighbors to restrain them from following their boy. They were led away while men hurried down the banks of the creek searching for the body. The father soon joined the pathetic search, but up to a late hour the body had not been recovered.

Tracks Under Water.

REDONDO BEACH, Feb. 18.—On account of the heavy rainstorm which started here last evening, traffic was delayed to a great extent for a number of hours during the day. On both the Gardena and Del Rey lines the tracks in many places were under water making it dangerous for the cars to pass over them. Service was delayed for two hours at one time until the water was drained off. The freight cars of the Santa Fe Railway were delayed for the greater part of the day near Standard Park, near El Segundo, the tracks sinking for some distance into the soft sand. The rainfall for this storm was 1.94 inches, making a total of 13.03 inches for the season.

Swamps Country.

COW IS DROWNED AT BAIRDSTOWN.

AUTOS STALLED IN TEN FEET OF WATER ALONG HIGHWAY.

Lake Half Mile Long Covers Portion of Pacific Electric Track. Shoemaker's Shop Carried Away and Stores Flooded—Cloudburst in Foothills Does It.

Part of Bairdstown was floated off its foundations yesterday afternoon and other portions flooded by a cloudburst back in the hills, which extended nearly to the town. In a half-hour the surrounding country was a sea and at Sierra Vista a lake half a mile wide completely blocked traffic on the Pacific Electric, cutting off Pasadena from this city.

A real estate office lately used as a shoemaker's shop by a man named Lambert was carried bodily out of Bairdstown, washed across the road and against the Pacific Electric tracks. A report has it that Lambert was carried away with it, but communication was cut off last night.

The postoffice and several stores were flooded by from several inches to two or three feet of water.

At Sierra Vista Huntington drive was ten feet under water and at this point the waters rushed in so quickly that three motor cars were stalled and the occupants had to fly for their lives. The cars were almost covered by water last night.

A cow was caught in the sudden rush of water and drowned. Other animals of a herd had to fly for the hills.

Traffic was completely cut off on the road and the only way to reach Bairdstown was by the North Broadway route. Many persons were unable to get to their homes in the vicinity.

Drenched.

WORST IN YEARS OVER FOOTHILLS.

WATER-WALD THREE FEET HIGH SWEEPS CANYON.

Ontario and Etiwanda Flooded and Houses and Stores Are Inundated and Threatened with Destruction. Immense Storm Drains Prove Wholly Inadequate.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ONTARIO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A veritable cloudburst which hit the Ontario-Cucamonga district at 4 o'clock this afternoon did damage to extent of thousands of dollars here. Several houses south of the city were threatened by the flood waters which were higher than at any time for sixteen years. Etiwanda, Cucamonga and Upland suffered like damage.

Many narrow escapes resulted. A large gang of men rushed to the scene on a motor truck saved the home of S. B. Hale, Fern avenue and Farrel street, after a stiff fight lasting two hours. A bulwark of sacks loaded with sand was thrown around the house and the water diverted. A deep trench was washed in Euclid avenue. Street Superintendent Charles Harper had a thrilling ride down the city's main thoroughfare in an ancient watering trough.

All the packing-houses were flooded, the basements containing valuable equipment filled to the brim. Much damage resulted, although no fruit was reported lost. The total fall for the storm is 4.15 inches. Most of this fell between 3 and 4 o'clock. The season's mark is 20.50 inches.

At Etiwanda the cloudburst was preceded by one in Deer Canyon and a wall of water three feet high washed down the avenue carrying everything before it. At Cucamonga a house was undermined by the floods and toppled over. Men, women and children donned overalls and fought the flood. Sacks of sand were at a premium and the battle was a strenuous one. Orchardists in that section lost thousands.

At Upland much damage resulted. The banks of the Cucamonga wash are lined with houses of a cheap nature and these are all threatened. The people have moved their belongings away. The ordinarily quiet stream is eating into the banks at a rapid rate.

Up towards the foothills great damage resulted. The immense storm drains which for years have proved sufficient failed today and orchards were badly washed. Outlying orchards in Ontario also suffered and gangs of men worked frantically all afternoon trying to stem the tide.

Downtown many stores were flooded at the corner of A street and Euclid avenue. The First National Bank, Dearman's jewelry store and Minter & Caldwell's haberdashery were flooded. At A street and Laurel avenue, the postoffice was flooded. Water entered the basement of the new Frankish building, valued at $75,000, to the depth of three feet.

RIVERS BANKSFULL.

People Driven From Homes by Floods—Cloudburst Near Saticoy and Sespe.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Another damaging storm hit this section last night and today and rivers are banksfull. People have been forced to again leave their homes in the lowlands and railroads are again out of commission.

Rain began falling at 10 o'clock last night and continued steadily up to 5 p.m. today, when the gauge registered 3.02 inches for the storm, 17.65 for the season, as against 7.42 to the same date last year. Santa Paula received 2.60 for the storm, Nordhoff 5.10 and Ventura avenue 3.85.

The waters rose rapidly in the Ventura River by noon, when the flood came down from the Ojai section and people on Harrison avenue and in this city moved out as rapidly as possible. The eastern approach to the city bridge here was badly damaged. The railroad work put in since the last storm west of the railroad bridge is again out.

A cloudburst near Saticoy and at the Sespe also did damage to the Saugus line, putting it out of commission. More rain is expected tonight.

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OXNARD SOIL SOAKED.

Washouts Result and Traffic Is Tied Up—High Ground Ranchmen Rejoice.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OXNARD, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rain which began falling here at 3 o'clock this morning gives a precipitation of 1.27 inches for the storm at 5 p.m. The ground was thoroughly soaked from the preceding storm and the water is filling gutters and drainage ditches full.

A washout at Brownstone, near Fillmore, has stopped traffic on the Montalvo-Saugus branch. The recently-laid roadbed of the Nordhoff branch is too soft to stand traffic and no trains are running there. Southern Pacific No. 8 is stalled here.

The fall is too much for those wishing to put out crops, as the ground had not become dry enough to permit working after the big storm of January. Ranchers on the higher ground and in the hills are pleased as this insures good subsoil moisture and plenty of grass for pasturage.

STORM SIGNALS OUT.

Twenty-mile Wind Lashes Ocean Into Fury and Breakwater Is Pounded Heavily by Waves.

SAN PEDRO, Feb. 18.—Southeast storm signals were run up early today. The wind blew at twenty miles an hour and kicked up a sea that sent the spray dashing over the breakwater.

The monitor Cheyenne and the submarines H-1 and H-2, which were anchored east of Deadman's Island, sought protection inside the breakwater and later came inside to the Crescent wharf to take oil. They will remain at the dock for two or three days.

The rainfall is 1.08 inches, making a total of 12.56 for the season, compared with 3.75 for this date last year.

GLENDORA.

GLENDORA, Feb. 18.—Vincent Gozeman, a Mexican laborer, sustained a severe scalp wound over the left eye and numerous contusions as a result of a collision with an automobile Monday morning. The accident occurred on the Foothill boulevard just west of Grand avenue. Gozeman was riding west on his bicycle and was struck by an automobile approaching from the opposite direction, driven by D. Benton of Pasadena. Gozeman was pitched head foremost over the fender of the left front wheel, striking the lamp opposite the driver's seat, dropped on the running-board and then rolled to the ground. He was picked up by Benton in an unconscious condition and hurried back to Glendora and placed in the Cub pharmacy for medical treatment.

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A DIPLOMATIC ABSENCE.

Secretary of State Bryan was notably absent at the Wilson dinner to Speaker Champ Clark. Thus it will be seen that, while politics may make strange bed-fellows, it does not go so far as to include one's list of dinner guests.

A LUCKY VILLAIN.

The bandit Castillo has been so fortunate as to be captured by United States troops on this side of the border. Had he been caught by Villa on the other side of the line his chances of ever living to be President of Mexico would have been much less than they are now.

MAKING MONEY.

The Standard Oil Company's net earnings in California last year amounted to $19,000,000. For a dissolved corporation it seems to be doing fairly well in spite of the high cost of living. Under favorable conditions some of its stockholders might find themselves contributing to the income tax collector. They will at least escape the bread line for a while.

CAMINETTI DECLINES.

The Commissioner-General of Immigration will not be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor of California. It may be that he is afraid that if he ran he would only walk, or it could be that he feels that a job in the hand is worth several in the ballot box. Caminetti is enough of a prophet to know that the signs of the times point to an overwhelming Republican victory in the State this year and he is perfectly willing for Mike Tarpey or Theodore Bell to be the goat.

A DIFFERENCE.

Two pictures painted by Raphael as a youth have been found in the National Museum at Naples. They had been accepted as productions of some young pupil of Perugino before this, but had never been identified as the work of Raphael. If somebody should discover some verses written by Longfellow at the age of 13, or a play that Ibsen had tried to write before he was 20, the rush to procure them would only be in order to have them suppressed. No one would risk his idol's reputation on such immaturity. With a painter it is different. The earliest strokes of a talented brush are something to prize. Besides, there is always a peculiar magic about what has been left by hands that will never lift a brush to canvas again. The man whose genius is expressed in words depends so much upon effective method that in the beginning of his apprenticeship he gives little promise of his power. The mastery of the painter is also slowly evolved and is the glorious outcome of a life's endeavors, but flashes of his flame are revealed in his earliest efforts.

WORK FOR WORKERS.

Los Angeles is offering opportunities for real workers today. The buoyant spirit that has kept the name of the city at the top of the list of building statistics, the spirit that is the backbone of the progress and development of this great metropolis of the Southland, is today found lighting the present and casting into the future its rays of hopeful optimism.

Here is the new Southern Pacific station looming up with industry for an army of workmen, where workers will be employed to make the dirt fly, to rear the framework of a new pile that will be a credit and a pride to the whole Southwest. And the construction of a new Southern Pacific station means the starting of work on other building enterprises in the immediate vicinity that will mount up to a million dollars. These plans have only been waiting for the settlement of the depot question.

Here comes work in the boring of tunnels through Bunker Hill, the lowering of the North Broadway tunnel, the development of new and more convenient thoroughfares to bring the downtown district into closer touch with the north, northwest and northeast.

The Pacific Electric comes booming along with its plans for an elevated, for the extension of its great interurban system, for the development of a scheme to relieve downtown traffic congestion and to handle passengers with a greater degree of speed, a higher degree of safety and efficiency.

The new City Hall, soon to be built, is another opportunity for workers. The city will distribute a small fortune among workers for this improvement that will be a boon to a deserving and long-suffering citizenship.

New buildings are projected, new work for workers is appearing with such rapidity that the wonder is there is complaint that opportunity is not as great today as it once was. The great public and quasi-public improvements that are on the programme of industry, soon to be inscribed on the scroll of achievement, are merely outstanding features of a natural, healthful stride toward civic perfection wherein there are abundant chances for the worker, the bona fide, willing worker whose toil is essential to constructive greatness.

With the season of activity looming large before, why select weak, inconsequential expedients? Why find it necessary to invent casual occupations to meet impractical demands? Why build to no purpose when the city thrills with purposeful things?

WHO NOMINATED THEM?

Who nominated Hiram Johnson and John Eshleman, now swinging around the circle on a campaign junket at the people's expense with a troupe of noisy Christian soldier stump speakers, to run for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor of California at the coming election? We know the people did not. Then who did? That's the question the fair-minded and hard-working men and women taxpayers who are paying Johnson and Eshleman each $10,000 a year to conduct certain governmental duties want to KNOW. And that question Hiram Johnson and John Eshleman and the other boss-picked candidates on the slated "Progressive" ticket will continue to sidestep with great gusto until they are buried under an avalanche of votes next November by an outraged and aroused citizenry of this great State.

The Johnson-Eshleman troupe returned to Los Angeles yesterday after a week's "lecturing tour" in San Diego county and other parts of this fair region.

When cornered Johnson refused point blank to answer the question, WHEN WERE YOU NOMINATED BY THE PEOPLE TO RUN ON THE "PROGRESSIVE" TICKET? "Gov. Johnson is on a lecture tour," interrupt the sunrise and twilight scentlets. "Surely it's a lecture tour," pipes the Governor. Four years ago Hiram Johnson could have pulled that species of wool over a great many citizens' eyes and made them believe that he was on a "lecture tour," but not NOW. The sane, sound, thinking people of this State know Hiram Johnson. They see right through him. Yes, and behind him into a back room where three or four self-constituted "reform" bosses are whispering and labeling the candidates who are to run under the red bandana banner this year. Oh, see the three or four men! What are the three or four men doing? They are holding a DIRECT PRIMARY. What is a DIRECT PRIMARY? An instrument whereby "the government is handed back to the people." Who said so? Hiram Johnson, John Eshleman, Guy Eddie, Rebater Earl, Meyer Lissner and other distinguished foes of civic and State unrighteousness.

We again ask, "Who nominated Hiram Johnson and John Eshleman"? Under the Young election law the dear pee-pul are to have or should have an opportunity of expressing their opinion and selecting their candidates on August 25, 1914. How does it happen that Johnson and Eshleman received the people's indorsement seven months before the election? That's the point.

Oh, yes, Hiram Johnson and John Eshleman are the simonpure and only boss picked "Progressive" candidates for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor. Hiram Johnson and John Eshleman were picked by three or four men, not the PEOPLE, and as Exhibit A we have in our possession a mimeograph campaign letter printed on official paper of the "Progressive" County Central Committee of Los Angeles which reads: "Gov. Johnson and Railroad Commissioner Eshleman WILL BE THE CANDIDATES OF THE PROGRESSIVE PARTY FOR GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR."

Tens of thousands of these letters have been mailed from the Earl-Lyon-Eddie campaign headquarters in the Coulter building.

The hold-up letters signed by S. C. Graham, chairman of the "Progressive" Finance Committee in Southern California, written to civil service employees trying to sweat $10 a month out of city and county employees under the "protection" of civil service to finance Johnson's campaign also said "Gov. Johnson and Railroad Commissioner Eshleman will be the candidates of the Progressive party."

There is no getting away from it. There is no choice. The direct primary has not been held, but Johnson and Eshleman are the candidates of the "Progressive" party. They have not been selected by the people as candidates—they have selected themselves.

And Gov. Johnson had the temerity to tell a crowd of Pasadena citizens yesterday afternoon in one of his "lectures" that the direct primary law "has accomplished wonders for the people." Wonders, eh!

What buncombe! What hypocrisy! What flubdub! What clap-trap! What trickery!

Behold John Eshleman, who was unknown until Meyer Lissner personally picked him and named him for the Railroad Commission. Eshleman says, "I have been fair to the railroads from the very moment I went on the commission." For land's sake, he wasn't given the job to be unfair to the railroads, was he? What a brilliant remark! "I have been fair to the railroads." Why shouldn't he be fair? Yet he's trailing around the State with Johnson at the people's expense prating about how "fair" he's been to the railroads and corporations.

Johnson and Eshleman were nominated by a ring at a "back-room primary."

F. J. O'Brien of Chico is on the slate for Secretary of State; U. S. Webb for Attorney-General, and Allison Ware for Superintendent of Public Instruction. These men have been picked. They are on the "slate." Who nominated them?

In direct contrast to the "back-room primary" of the "Progressive" bosses is the position of the Republican and Democratic parties in California. No Republican candidates have been named by two or three self-constituted bosses at any secret caucus. Real Republicans, no matter how strongly they may disagree with faddish features of the direct primary law, are showing the American spirit by observing the provisions of the law. If any self-appointed boss or set of bosses attempt to violate the spirit of the primary law by selecting Republican candidates in a "back-room primary" the hundreds of thousands of true Republicans of this State would rise in their might and smash the traitors and lawbreakers. Such effrontery and brazen violation of the law of the land as practiced by the "Progressive" bosses and regulators of everybody's business has never been equalled in the United States. Charley Murphy of Tammany Hall wouldn't think of such a thing. Only self-anointed reformers and Armageddon battlers are capable of such flagrant violation of a law "that hands the government back to the people."

Looking Into the Internal Troubles of His Wards.

[Nashville Tennessean]

THE QUESTION OF DIVORCES.

In an interview in The Times the other day Judge Monroe took occasion to say that Los Angeles must not become a divorce Mecca. The courts of this city, the judge said in effect, should not be made a dumping ground for persons who, perhaps, have a just cause for divorce in the communities in which they reside, but who hesitate to file their actions there for fear of the notoriety and publicity which the trial may create.

A good suggestion in divorce came not long ago from Chicago, where the City Council, going outside the usual line of municipal deliberations, took up the great American question. A bill was recommended to the State Legislature which provided that it shall be unlawful to set forth the causes in a divorce case till a year after the filing of the simple application. The idea was that such a measure will give time for the parties to the suit to think twice before the particulars have become common property. Then, if harmony should happen to have been restored, no scandalous harm would have been done.

The Chicago idea is a valuable contribution to the debate leading toward a simple, firm, liberal and uniform divorce code for all the States. In California we have put the cart before the horse, in that here the year that must intervene before the decree is final comes after all the scandalous exposures have been made. Then, if reconciliation takes place, all the family neighbors know the worst.

Divorce reform is an important matter, and it is encouraging that in most of the States it is now receiving the serious consideration of lawmakers and of society in general. South Dakota four or five years ago and Nevada last year lengthened the required residence term to a year and provided that the cases must be tried at the regular terms of court. In some other States where divorces are made extremely difficult, more liberal laws are in contemplation.

There is related news from England, where an influential society recently was formed with the object of making divorces easier than they are present. According to this body there are in Great Britain something like 100,000 unhappy couples, who would at once seek divorce if the law permitted. It is surmisable that the number, 100,000, is merely a guess, as it does not appear that the society maintains a registration bureau where unhappy couples go and enter their names. However, there is probably no doubt that there is a great deal of unhappiness in England which might be lessened if there were a permissive divorce law.

People certainly have some sort of right to be happy, and we are forced to believe that some marriages turn out very badly. Not to permit divorces, therefore, is as great a mistake as to permit them too easily. Meanwhile our local and State makers of the law could do worse than to take up the Chicago idea and let unhappy couples do their waiting during the year before the charges are specified rather than afterward.

CARNEGIE'S PEACE FUND.

Andrew Carnegie has contributed $2,000,000 more to the fund to promote peace among the nations by a process of national disarmament. That would give about 10 cents to each soldier in Europe, for the regular armies there number 4,846,000 men and the reserve force 16,948,000. One in every fifteen of all the men of arms-bearing age is a regular soldier, while the number of men in reserve who are armed, subject to duty and held ready for service at any moment, amounts to one in five of the men of arms-bearing age, or one in twenty-four of the entire population—men, women and children.

It is estimated that it requires the constant product of one peasant engaged in agriculture, or of one operative engaged in manufacturing in the commercial and manufacturing States of Europe to equip and sustain one soldier; that it requires the labor of one man to be diverted from every 200 acres; and that a sum equivalent to $1.10 shall be deducted from the annual product of every acre. The aggregate annual expenditure of Europe for military and naval purposes is probably in excess of $1,200,000,000.

David A. Wells said, twenty years ago: "As to the ultimate outcome of this state of affairs—ostensibly kept up for the propagation or promotion of civilization—there is an almost perfect agreement of opinion among those who have studied it; and that is, that the existence and continuance of the present military system of Continental Europe is impoverishing its people, impairing their industrial strength, effectually hindering progress, driving the most promising men out of the several States to seek peaceful homes in foreign countries, and ultimately threatening the destruction of the whole fabric of society."

So far as this country is concerned the efforts of Mr. Carnegie against excessive militarism are not needed, for the conditions here are essentially different from those of Europe. Instead of one soldier for every twenty-four inhabitants as in Europe we have one for every 1645. Instead of a cost of $3.98 per capita as in Great Britain our soldiers, although paid twice as much as those of England, cost but 93 cents per capita. Our coasts are protected from foreign invasion by two oceans, and distance so guards our interior cities that it would be practically impossible for the forces of a foreign power to reach St. Louis, or Cincinnati, or Louisville, or Omaha, or Denver.

Yet we are not indifferent to the noble and generous efforts of Andrew Carnegie to bring about the disarmament of Europe and peace among the nations, and all friends of humanity will wish him success.

MEDICAL REFORM.

WALT MASON IN THE TIMES.

More and more the learned physicians turn away from dope and drugs, turn away from old positions, from their bottles, flasks and jugs. When I used to have conniptions, measles, mumps or other ills, doc would hand me out prescriptions calling for a peck of pills. He would straightway send me bedward, with a trained nurse stern and dour, saying to the latter, "Edward, give him dope eight times an hour." All my bedroom was a litter of old bottles, goblets, spoons, and I swallowed powders bitter till I felt like last year's prunes. It was not till I revolted that I rallied from my ills, not until I up and bolted and went hiding in the hills. Now the doc writes no prescription when I've left my health behind, naught in Latin or Egyptian for the druggist to unwind. "You must live," the doc says, "sanely, if you'd keep away from grief; men of careless habits vainly look to druggists for relief. Eat good grub and eat it slowly, go to bed at 10 o'clock, sidestep all the drinks unholy, every morning take a walk." Then he soaks me for an eagle, and I sigh, "I am no flat! Me the sawbones can't inveigle into such a scheme as that!"

BUSINESS FABLE IN SLANG.

[Orangeade in Pierce's Pointers:] Horace Vanderblink was light on the Gray but heavy on the team work.

He was the best little organizer in the league. In fact, he so dazzled the guy with the bright future of the organization that the guy did all the work.

Horace was never much on that "hand me the shovel" stuff. So long as he could get the guy to fall for the team work he was in clover.

So he organized them into a company for the purpose of selling water. Horace knew that suckers liked water, so he decided to feed them.

A few hundred acres of mining land in the middle of the Atlantic was added to the liabilities for bait.

Horace stayed in the office while the guy handled the hose.

The guy was some expert with the hose so the mazum came in thick. Horace's nit was right there in welcoming the crisp, and he was kept busy filing bank books in the mahogany.

In a few months Horace caught the guy in a tight place and proceeded to shear him of the remainder of the stock.

Horace was now high mogul.

He had a big staff of salesmen, but the water supply held out, and everybody worked on a commission, so the net was increased each year.

The coin was coming in so fast that Horace began thinking it was easy. His annual swag was about five million, but he was not satisfied.

He began to adulterate the water with hot air. Hot air is not so expensive as water.

One day, however, Horace was sitting in his office, when he looked up and saw a badge.

At the end of his term he returned with just two bits in his jeans.

He spent the rest of his life kicking himself because he had forgotten to turn the faucet off.

Moral: There's sure to be a wreck if you let your headlights go out.

Polly (to big sister's admirer:) Guess what father said about you last night.

Adolphus: Oh, I couldn't guess, weally.

Polly: I'll give you a peach if you can guess.

Adolphus (flustered:) Oh, Polly, I haven't an idea in the world.

Polly: Urr—you was listening.—[Sydney Bulletin.

ACQUIRED BEAUTY.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

It is all very well to tell us that handsome is as handsome does; that beauty is only skin deep; and that kind hearts are more than coronets. But the fact remains that our chief duty in life is to be beautiful.

Women, of course! Men are just naturally beautiful, anyway. So long as they remember to have that shave and to don a clean collar, so long as they recognize a certain fitness of things in the combination of their various garments they are above criticism.

But not so the women. Much, much more is expected of us. Every detail of our person is under the fire of searching criticism. It behooves us to be shapely, to have lily and rose complexions, large, lustrous eyes, long silken lashes, thick braids of soft, nut-brown hair, a cupid's bow mouth, small pearly teeth, an adorable chin, a swan-like neck, graceful shoulders, rounded bosoms, soft, white arms and hands, pink nails, sylph-like waists, no tummies, retiring hips, dimpled knees, curved calves, slim, round ankles, small, slender feet—to say nothing of womanly charm without which we are damned, anyway.

This is the ideal the male novelist and the average male generally sets for our attainment. And not one per million of us is born that way. The majority of us are just poor, little, drab pea-hens. If we possess one of those charms it is a safe bet that we haven't any of the others.

Of course, being quite bright in a general way, we often manage to convey an impression of perfection. Art triumphs over nature. Complexions are comparatively inexpensive—and, providing one is not short-sighted and the mirror is in a good light—a little skill is all that is necessary. Hair is not an insurmountable difficulty. Figures are harder. A presentable figure often entails much suffering. Still the new draped hips are kinder, we mustn't grumble. Dimpled knees can be non-committal. It is a matter of taste whether or not we drape the slit. Shoes will shoulder much of the responsibility for feet.

But all the same there are some depressing features that neither clothes nor art can veil. There are pimples and wrinkles and crooked noses; there are protruding teeth, double chins, moustaches and squints; there are—but why lengthen the sad, bad list. Every woman knows her own tragedy.

A Santa Ana friend of mine bemoans the fact that she has a double chin, a few freckles and one mole, with hair. A San Gabriel friend weeps for her large, red hands. A Duarte friend has lines round her mouth. As for myself—well, open confession may be good for the soul, but it is very unhealthy for the conceit, and I have no intention of jeopardizing my one unblemished asset.

All the same, we are all exercised upon the one burning question, How can I be beautiful?

To which end we are consumed with interest in the recent floods of billets doux which have reached us all via the mail. A great beauty manipulator is in our midst. And she has communicated direct with Santa Ana, San Gabriel, Duarte, Santa Monica and various other centers where imperfect female beauty is assumed to flourish.

She has sent us all an intimate little notice to the effect that she can make us over. That beauty may be ours for the mere asking—accompanied by ten cents in stamps to cover cost of postage. She assures us that she has perfected the art of "facial gymnastics" which, we learn, play a very important part in the acquisition of beauty. She knows how to remove superfluous hairs, superfluous chins, superfluous beauty spots; how to make us slim if we are fat, or plump if we are skinny. She can make a retrousse nose Grecian or vice versa, dead, fishy eyes brilliant, a mummified skin clear and dazzling.

In short, sister, we are saved. No longer need we despair. The time may yet arrive when some lordly male will gaze upon us rapturously and murmur, "My beautiful, beautiful darling."

Just when I was thoroughly enthused the glad prospect was sicklied o'er with the pale cast of doubt. The Santa Ana friend is responsible. Knowing my infallible wisdom, she implores me to tell her whether this great beauty creator can be relied upon; whether, in fact, science has really reached this splendid stage of genuine usefulness.

"You have traveled abroad," she writes, "and will surely know if these things are really possible, if, indeed, a homely face can be made over to look real 'chic.'"

When one has traveled abroad it is dreadfully humiliating to have to confess that you are uninformed upon so important a question of world interest. What, oh, what am I to tell my Santa Ana friend?

I might let the beauty creator experiment on me, of course. And appear at Santa Ana in radiant evidence of her skill. But, then, again, one always recalls that awkward little story about the man that stuttered. Said he to a similarly afflicted friend:

"Y-y-y-yes, y-y-you ought t-t-t-to g-g-g-go to-to-to S-s-s-smith, he c-c-completely c-c-c-c-cured me of s-s-s-s-s-s-s-stuttering, old chap."

Still perhaps I ought to give it a trial. Memory floods o'er me inconveniently just now. Once in Central Africa, when I was about 12 years old, a Kaffir chief sought me for one of his brides. He offered my father one cow and some ostrich feathers for me. Papa thought I was worth more than that. So the chief increased the offer to two cows and half a load of bricks. Still the pater demurred. Finally he offered three cows, four feathers and a cartload of bricks. The pater regretted his inability to accept, but he wanted much, much more than that. The chief assured the pater that it was absurd; I was not in the least beautiful and actually not worth half his offer. He withdrew from the negotiations and the pater sent me to England.

The doctors debated this beauty question very seriously at their last conference. Dedicating their lives to the alleviation of human misery as they do, many doctors have felt that it is their duty to add beautifying the human form to their legitimate profession. The majority, however, voted it out as unprofessional and beneath their dignity. A large, long, feminine sigh wafted o'er the earth at that.

But there is consolation for us in the repeated utterances of a famous dramatist who declares that nothing is more beautifying to woman than falling in love.

I am inclined to look upon that method with favor. It is simpler—and a good deal more interesting—than "facial gymnastics."

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Democratic Registration Bounds theft of the Armageddonites.

Oh, see the "Progressives" next to the Socialists in registration! The Democrats for the first time since the opening of the new register on January 1, yesterday led the Armageddon battlers at the County Registrar's office. The Lyon-Finn-Earl reformers ran third, barely nosing out the Socialists.

Following are the figures: Republicans, 1401; Democrats, 1411; Progressives, 590; Socialists, 498. To date 48,510 Republicans have registered against 29,579 "Progressives" and 21,884 Democrats.

The official registration totals strongly show just how much weight the muddy words of Hiram Johnson have with the sound, level-headed citizens of this fine and safe Los Angeles.

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Protection for Adolescent Who Are Too Anxious to Be Cradled—Large Appropriation Made to Provide Temporary

A large portion of the meeting of the Board of Education Tuesday was taken up by the consideration of a resolution aimed at the yellow press, condemning the hypocritical "mourning extra," for exploiting objectionable pictures of schoolgirls. The resolution, on the passage of a resolution requesting the co-operation of the press of the city in suppressing particularly objectionable" photographs of adolescent girls, and authorizing a committee to visit the newspaper managers and explain the attitude of the Board of Education with reference to the matter. The committee was not ready last night.

After considering the report of the Finance Committee, a proposed expenditure of about $3700 for music in the high schools, was expunged from the report, on the ground that it was an illegal appropriation and that any demands the music department may have must be met from the money for other purposes. In the debate in that connection, the question of eliminating the half-day sessions of many schools for want of room came up and it was decided that in the appropriation of money to be expended by the Building Committee in leasing as many rooms as possible to relieve the

Authorized payment of $40 to the University of an Oregon College, to defray the expenses of a lecture to which he was also turned down, because the money was more seriously needed to provide educational facilities for children.

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CLEARING OF THE CLOUDS.

Dr. Durkum Will Be Field Manager for the Aviation Meet Scheduled for Pomona.

POMONA, Feb. 18.—Secretary C. P. Switzer of the Chamber of Commerce and C. Bichowsky have been conferring with Paul Derkum, who will be manager for the forthcoming meet of the Clouds," which will be held on the site of the new Pomona Valley Country Club on March 13 and 14, and the arrangements are being made for a genuine aviation meet, in which a number of aviators. These will consist of detachments from Co. D, of this city. Martin will give exhibition of the use of the aeroplane in modern warfare and will drop bombs on small forts to be built by the Co. D boys.

It will be widely advertised and large crowds are expected from all parts of Southern California. Army and Navy aviators alike are interested in the meet and many will be present. The State officials have given their consent to the participation of the militia in the entertainment. J. G. Howard of Los Angeles will have charge of the publicity department and the "Flight of the Clouds" will be advertised throughout Southern California. The Pacific Electric cars run directly to the aviation field, and the funds for the management will be devoted to the benefit of the speedway. Farmer Art exhibit, which will be held under the auspices of the Home Teacher and Child-Study Circles will open tomorrow and will continue through Friday and Saturday. Competitive different study circles of the local school teachers have been busy hanging the pictures. It is certain that 500 residents of Pomona will go on the Chamber of Commerce excursion to San Bernardino, Friday, which will be observed as the National Orange Show Day." A special train will leave at noon over the Southern Pacific Railroad. The Pomona band will take three bands along with things at the fair—the Chaffey College bands. Pomona is a great improvement on foot here and the business houses will close in order to give the afternoon in order to make the trip to San Bernardino, and an effort will be made to have a half-holiday declared at the schools. The Pomona Valley Orange Show is expected to attract wide attention because of the unique features of the Pomona Valley as a fruit-growing center. D. C. Stine of the Chamber of Commerce have worked indefatigably for the success of the meet.

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ALL TO DO OVER.

At Mott and Stephenson, where the street department has just concluded its work of refilling land washed out by the first freshets, the same thing happened again. The water here spread out to a distance of 300 feet and the lives of several pedestrians were in danger when the ground caved away.

Street Superintendent Moore had every available man in the downtown section keeping open the drains to receive the flood waters that reached from curb to curb on Broadway, Hill, Spring and Main streets. In some instances the water washed entirely across the sidewalk and into the stores. A large force was also employed in removing the tons of sand, gravel and boulders that came tearing down from Bunker Hill during the height of the storm.

IN JUDGE'S CELLAR.

Water poured into the cellar of Presiding Judge McCormick's house at No. 1638 Cimarron street and when there appeared to be no cessation of the torrent, Mrs. McCormick 'phoned in haste to her husband at the Courthouse, stating it had reached a depth of six feet. She was alarmed and made preparations to make a hurried exit with the valuables had the water risen higher.

ON FLOWER STREET.

Perhaps the most spectacular flood scene in the city was on Flower street, down which a raging river ran at the height of the storm. A steamboat could have run easily from Third street to Tenth. At Flower and Sixth the water was up to a man's middle. Automobiles could not make headway at all. In some of the stores the water was a foot deep. Several cartloads of boulders were left in the street by the receding waters. One of the bits of comedy was the heroic efforts of an energetic woman to sweep back the flood with a broom.

DOWN GOES ROOF.

The storm drain on the roof at No. 2231 South Union avenue got choked up during the height of the storm and when a foot and a half of water had accumulated it collapsed, with the result that considerable damage was done to the stock of paints, oils and wall paper belonging to S. Young & Co., who occupy the building.

SWIMS TO THE RESCUE.

Patrolman William Riess of the Boyle Heights Police Station divested himself of his clothes and swam to the rescue of Mrs. J. Williams, an aged and infirm woman who could not get out of her home at Cincinnati and Mott streets. Ten feet of water, rushing like a mountain torrent, poured down the thoroughfare.

IN LITTLE RUSSIA.

All the Little Russian district between Clarence street and the river was a network of mad torrents, over which residents traveled on make-shift rafts.

Patrolmen Hodgson and Lowrey of the Boyle Heights station commandeered horses from near-by livery stables and swam them through the streets, taking residents from their homes on the horses' backs. They rescued one family of seven from a home at Seventh street and the river.

Utah street, between Seventh and Ninth streets, was entirely impassable all night, the water being about ten feet deep.

Patrolman Arguello of Boyle Heights Station swam through the flood in Utah street at Ninth street and rescued a sick man from his home, because the patient was unable to get out alone. The house was filled several feet with water.

All the residents in the district were standing in their top-floor windows calling wildly for help. It was feared houses would be washed away. The foundations of many were made insecure by the gruelling soaking they received. Cellars were flooded, wetting fuel of all sorts and making the building of fires an impossibility.

STATION SACKED.

At Elysian Park a slight landslide covered the street car tracks on North Broadway with several feet of earth. Traffic was stopped for half an hour or more while a wrecking gang cleaned off the earth.

At the East Side Police Station the patrolmen were compelled to fill sacks with sand and surround the station house with a dyke about four feet high. The sacks were sent out from Central Station in automobiles.

OFF THE FOUNDATIONS.

Several small cottages in the neighborhood of Brooklyn and Forest avenues were washed off their foundations. The occupants escaped with large quantities of their household goods.

Over 100 feet of the concrete wall at the County Hospital in the neighborhood of the new psycopathic ward was thrown over when the foundation caved in.

CAUGHT IN IT.

One man, whose name was not learned, was nearly drowned early in the evening at Washington street and Grand avenues, when he tried to cross Washington and was knocked down by the strength of the stream. Ben Breed and James Hamm, driving in a Bresee Bros. ambulance, rescued the man from probable drowning and took him to his home at No. 234 West Twenty-second street.

The boathouse at Eastlake Park was found flooded and all boats filled to the gunwales with water.

POLE JAM.

On Gibbons street, near Alhambra, a house was seen to be caving slightly on one side of the foundations, which had sunk about half a foot. A woman was rescued from the porch roof.

About twenty poles from the Edison Electric Company yards at Alhambra avenue and Avenue 21 were washed away down Alhambra avenue to Clover street, where they banked against the railroad tracks.

RESCUED BY BOAT.

The break in the reservoir above the Wild Animal Farm caused the water to swell the lake in Eastlake Park and this, overflowing, raged through the Alhambra and Mission roads to Main street, where, diverging into Lamar street, it marooned a number of families in their homes.

Acting Lieutenant Toolen, Sergt. Long and Patrolman Needham of the East Side Station requisitioned a boat and rescued them. The boat was carried to Cardinal and Lamar streets, where it was launched.

It was rowed through Alhambra to Clover and Gibbons streets and there nine persons—three women, four children and two men—were rescued from their flooded home. The water in places was six feet deep, according to Acting Lieutenant Toolen.

The boats were rowed over front yard fences and up to the porches and windows of the inundated homes.

DESERT HOMES.

Rain flooded the Mexican colony on the Salt Lake Flats, between Aliso and Ninth streets, and eight had to be rescued by police boats from the Boyle Heights Station, while in other parts of the flats forty others were compelled to desert their shacks, some, police say, being compelled to swim to safety.

Many of these sought refuge with relatives; a dozen were sent to police headquarters for shelter.

Forty feet of the bridge at the Ostrich Farm is reported by the Pacific Electric to have been undermined and much of it washed completely away by the flooded Arroyo Seco.

The Arroyo Seco almost cost H. Anderson, a delivery wagon driver for the Pioneer City and Suburban Delivery Company, his life.

While attempting to drive across the stream yesterday at Avenue 43, with the water racing at a depth of four feet, his horse and wagon were washed from under him.

Anderson dived and swam with the current to safety. The horse, after being dragged with the wagon 300 feet, was rescued by Deputy City Engineer Lockett and D. Rubindeux, also a city employee. They dashed into the stream and cut the horse loose from the wagon. Dry goods valued at $100 was lost from the wagon, which is wrecked.

FIGHT OVER FEES.

Hoar Estate Appraised at Eighty Thousand Dollars Is Alleged to Have Dwindled to Much Less.

VENTURA, Feb. 18.—There is a stiff fight on in the courts over additional fees in the estate of the late Charles E. Hoar, a former resident of this county and a relative of the famous Hoar family of Massachusetts. The estate, which was appraised at $80,000, has dwindled to $30,650, according to J. J. Dwyer of San Francisco, who appears for the heirs in Massachusetts.

Attorneys have received extra fees after a hot legal contention, and on this occasion Public Administrator Gibson wants extra fees amounting to $850. His claim was hotly contested by Mr. Dwyer, who said in his argument that the Public Administrator had already received $1792 as extra fees. The attorney said that Mr. Gibson had already received all that was due him on the claim of having made six sales of property belonging to the estate, while in reality he had made but three such sales. In fact, said Mr. Dwyer, he (Dwyer) made the main sale himself. The attorney contended that already some $6400 had been paid out in extraordinary fees in an estate worth but $30,000, and he considered this excessive. The court took the matter under advisement.

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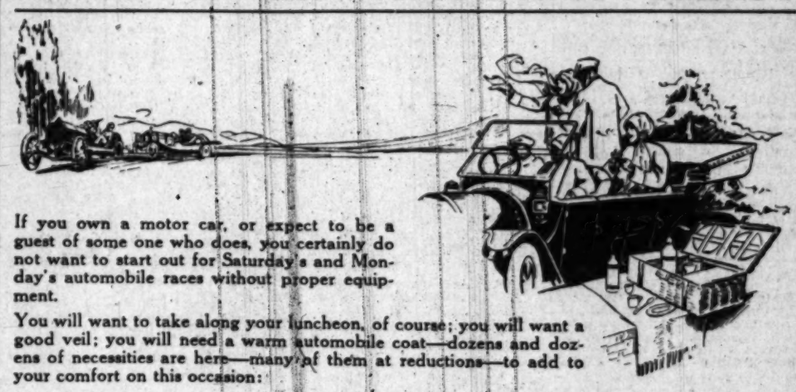

If you own a motor car, or expect to be a guest of some one who does, you certainly do not want to start out for Saturday's and Monday's automobile races without proper equipment.

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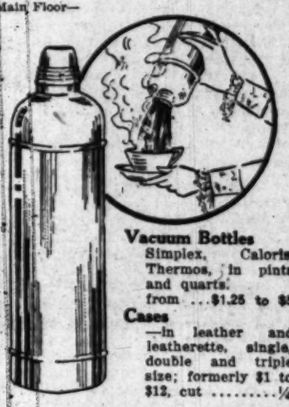

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Simplex, Caloris, Thermos, in pints and quarts, from ... $1.25 to $5

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Suit and Millinery Sales Continue

Because of yesterday's rain, many prospective customers were deterred from taking advantage of our two very special sales in

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Special clearance on broken lines of women's embroidered hose in both regular and out sizes! if you can find your size in these splendid qualities, formerly up to $1.50, you may choose on Thursday at just ..... Half

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Sealing Wax, Assorted Colors, box 15c

—Stationery; South Aisle—

Toy Specials

30c and 35c Paint Books 20c
Nodding Animals, sets, formerly 25c 15c
25c Rocking Animals, sets 15c
50c Nodding Animals 35c
50c Rocking Animals 35c
25c Paint Books complete with paint 15c
25c A B C Books 15c
25c Paper Doll Sets 15c

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MOVEMENTS IN SOCIETY.

A GLIMPSE into the Los Angeles Country Club last night made one feel as if some magician had taken an afternoon off to personally direct each detail for the elaborate bal blanc given at the popular rendesvous by Mr. and Mrs. Esra Thomas Stimson of No. 825 West Adams street. Mrs. Stimson was responsible for the captivating scene and the function struck a new note in social affairs.

Rich simplicity characterized the magnificent setting, which formed a harmonizing background for the gowns and suits worn by those present. During the early dances the guests were attired in white, later merging into red, white and blue costumes with the aid of unique favors.

Red chiffon panniers arranged to slip over the skirts; blue arm rosettes; white rushes and red, white and blue fans and flags were given to the ladies, while adornments for the gentlemen were blue colonial coats with red linings and blue hats.

At 12:30 a.m. breakfast was served in place of supper. The tables were centered with cherry trees and the menu, in the enthusiastic vernacular of one of the guests, was "immense." The courses of mush, eggs and other breakfast dainties were delights. Mrs. Stimson was assisted by Mrs. Benham, Miss Helen Freeman and Miss Nan Kyle of Chicago and Mrs. Godfrey Holterhoff of this city.

Several dinner parties preceded the affair, one of which was presided over by Dr. and Mrs. Rae Smith, who entertained at the California Club. Mr. and Mrs. William May Garland, Dr. and Mrs. Guy Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coburn Turner also were dinner hosts and they included Mrs. O. J. Salisbury and her brother, Don McGillvray, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith, Mrs. James Souter Porter, Miss Theo Burnett, Roger Lapham and Mr. Munos. Mr. and Mrs. Alber Llewellyn Cheney were also entertainers and their friends were welcomed at their home in Berkeley square.

Luncheon Party.

Mrs. Edward Thayer Cook of No. 1101 West Forty-seventh street entertained Wednesday noon with a well-appointed and delightful luncheon to a select coterie of intimate friends. A decoration scheme of yellow and white was carried out with charming effect. Individual bouquets of yellow jonquils for each guest were a feature.

The guests included Mrs. Theodore Kuhl, Mrs. J. C. Seibert, Mrs. George Rosecrans, Miss Mabel Seibert, Mrs. Robert J. Wood, Mrs. John Burbaw, Jr., Miss Joanna Cook and Miss Mary Edna Cook.

Tottenham-Lewis Wedding.

St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral was thronged last evening with prominent society folk of this city, who gathered to witness the brilliant wedding of Miss Arley Tottenham and Herbert Stone Lewis, which was solemnized by Dean William Mackmack.

The edifice presented a picturesque appearance with its dress of delicate cherry blossoms and jonquils. The wedding march announced the approach of the bridal party at 8:30. Down the aisle formed of jonquils and tulle bows came the ushers, Hudson Hibbard, Hardin Scott, Raymond Osborne, Clarence Armstrong and Arthur Bobrick.

They were followed by the maids, the Misses Clara Scott, Florence Thresher, Ethelyn Walker and Anna Zucker. The first two young women were garbed in yellow taffeta fashioned in the new short lengths and ornamented with touches of pink, matching their Geraldine Farrar head-dress of tulle, while pale pink taffeta with yellow garnitures completed the attire of the Misses Walker and Zucker. They all carried pink roses in French bouquets of jonquils.

Miss Muriel Tottenham, the first maid-of-honor, was next, and she was attractive in a deep pink taffeta French gown, and Miss Kathleen Tottenham, a younger sister, who also served as maid-of-honor, followed in a rose-pink taffeta and lace. They carried the same flowers as the bridesmaids.

The bride on the arm of her father, H. L. Tottenham, entered last in an exquisite gown of white satin trimmed with Duchesse and rose point. A tulle veil covered the handsome attire, which was completed with clusters of embroidered orange blossoms in silver thread. A huge shower of white valley lilies and pink orchids was carried.

Following the church service, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, on Lake street. At the conclusion of a honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will be at home at No. 6657 Sunset boulevard.

Home Wedding.

Another attractive bride of last evening was Miss Bernice Foulks, who became Mrs. Milton Hollingsworth at an impressive service at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Foulks of No. 2160 West Thirtieth street. Dr. Turk of the First Congregational Church was the officiating clergyman and read the lines in a bower of pink and white blossoms.

The bride, attired in white charmeuse adorned with lace and pearls, was assisted by Miss Gretchen Foulks, a sister. Miss Foulks wore pink charmeuse and shadow lace and carried pink Killarneys. A Dutch cap was worn by the maid, while a long tulle veil fastened with orange blossoms was attractive over the white bridal robe.

La Valle Lund was best man and little Harriet Light was flower girl. Ribbon streamers were held by little Charlotte and Mary Elizabeth Johnson. After a honeymoon journey Mr. and Mrs. Hollingsworth will reside at the Chalet apartments.

Midweek.

"MILESTONES" AT THE MASON.

Harry Lauder Next Majestic Attraction.

Corking Good Bills on Tap Next Week.

"Ruy Blas" Big Feature for Woodley Today.

At the Mason Operahouse Monday evening, Klaw & Erlanger and Joseph Brooks will present for the first time here "Milestones," the famous comedy-drama by Arnold Bennett, novelist, and Edward Knoblauch, author of "Kismet." "Milestones" recently completed a two-years' run in London and a year's engagement in New York City, and will be interpreted by the brilliant English artists who won so much praise from critics and public in the East, and who are now delighting San Francisco theatergoers.

Because these remarkable actors must return soon to London, the present tour, which is planned to take in every section of the country, entails some of the longest railroad jumps on record and San Francisco and Los Angeles are the only cities to be visited on the Pacific Coast. After the Los Angeles engagement the "Milestones" company will return to the East and stop at but a half-dozen cities before filling another engagement at Washington, D. C.

"Milestones" has created more discussion than any other play of this generation. It does the seemingly impossible thing of carrying forward the history of two families for fifty-two years, developing in its three acts five different romances and drawing faithful pictures of the changes wrought in manners, customs, thought and ideals through three different periods in the world's history.

"Milestones" is a play without a villain, but with many heroes and heroines. More difficult tasks could not be imagined than those set for the actors and actresses who carry the action along from generation to generation.

We see the young people in the first act become the tottering old folks of the last, while other youngsters spring up to carry along the spirit of romance that dominates the play. The company selected by Klaw & Erlanger and Joseph Brooks for the interpretation of these most difficult roles is entirely English and during their year and a half stay in this country these brilliant artists have made enduring names for themselves.

The engagement here is for two weeks, beginning Monday evening, February 23. The sale of seats commences Thursday morning.

Auditorium.

Refusing all engagements socially which might take her very far away from Los Angeles, Mme. Jomelli has shown her sagacity, as now she is here in this city ready for her concert at the Auditorium tonight. The concert will positively be given, and as it is a special one managed by Mr. Behymer to make good the disappointment for all Philharmonic tickets not used, the patrons will please avail themselves of this last chance.

McCormack is enjoying another series of successes in San Francisco this week and will return here Monday morning in anticipation of his concert Monday evening at the Auditorium. Fritz Kreisler, the violin virtuoso, will also arrive Monday, in advance of his appearance Tuesday evening at the Auditorium.

Burbank.

Due to the unprecedented demand for seats to see the farewell performances of Kitty Gordon in "Pretty Mrs. Smith," Oliver Morosco has arranged to postpone the Boston opening of this new comedy with music until Monday, March 16. With this new arrangement the local engagement will positively close on Saturday evening, February 28, and the following day Kitty Gordon and her merry associates will start on their long transcontinental journey.

Kitty Gordon has set a new pace for her many imitators on the stage and is now appearing in new gown creations at almost every performance and incidentally is now enjoying the best singing and acting role of her career.

Majestic.

The sale of seats for the engagement of Harry Lauder, the great Scotch comedian, who comes to the Majestic Theater next week for only one week's engagement, commencing with a matinee on Monday, will open this morning.

Lauder is engaged on his sixth American tour of the United States, and will start on a tour of Australia immediately after his engagement in this city and San Francisco. Lauder will present a new song repertoire, all of them typically Lauderesque and at the same time they are numbers that have gained him greater popularity than he has enjoyed before. In Lauder's support will be seen such international artists as Irene Berscany, Alfred Latell and Elsa Wolee, Ethel Borune, Ezno Rapee and Jack Ark.

Little Theater.

The last performances of "Anatol" at the Little Theater are proving the unbounded popularity of this brilliant Schnitzler comedy. Each presentation is witnessed by an audience of imposing proportions—an audience that appreciates keenly the fine wit of the Viennese comedy and applauds with much enthusiasm the splendid acting of Forrest Winant, Richard Vivian, Gertrude Workman, Lillian Lawrence, Ethel Grey Terry and Elsie Jane Wilson in the chief roles. The adoption of a scale of one-dollar-a-seat for the matinees today and Saturday has resulted in an unexpectedly large demand for seats for these afternoon performances and has very conclusively proved that the theater-going public wants to see plays of the type the Little Theater management is making known.

Commencing with the Monday night production of James Montgomery's new American comedy, Los Angeles will have a chance to pass judgment on a play that gives every preliminary promise of surpassing in the matter of popularity the same author's success, "Ready Money." "Come Home, Smith," is based upon the idea that if we demand from the world what we need and work unceasingly that our requirements will be fulfilled.

Many persons have declared that Mr. Montgomery has turned to Christian Science for the basic idea of his play, but the author asserts that he merely has showed what an energetic young American can do when placed in circumstances that are discouraging, to put it mildly. There is a very delightful love story running throughout the three acts of "Come Home, Smith."

It is a business man's play, one that combines the ways of financiers with a generous amount of genuinely good humor. "Come Home, Smith," has been rehearsed under the personal direction of Mr. Montgomery and the cast will include all the members of the Little Theater organization.

Morosco.

That hilarious laugh and girl musical comedy, "How D'ye Do" will close it's local engagement at the Morosco Theater on next Sunday evening. Despite the fact that efforts of the most strenuous kind were made to extend the contracts made for other cities for "How D'ye Do" it was found impossible to do so and therefore next Sunday evening will witness the last performance of this latest Anderson Gaiety Theater success.

Bickel and Watson, Walter Catlett, Arthur Clough and all the other sixty merry associates have made a decided favorable impression among local theater-goers and it is with deep regret that this highly successful engagement cannot be extended. Commencing with the matinee on Monday George Kleine, producer of the "Quo Vadis" and the "Antony and Cleopatra" feature pictures will present his latest success, "The Savage and the Tiger," which is in seven reels, the whole story running two hours. The daily matinees will start at 2:30 o'clock and the evenings at 8:30 o'clock, and the prices will be 25 and 50 cents.

Orpheum.

Walter Lawrence and Frances Cameron, both recruits from the comic opera field, where Lawrence excelled in "The Sultan of Sulu" and other similar successes, and Miss Cameron shone in "The Merry Widow" title role, have combined their talents in vaudeville, and will headline the Orpheum bill next week, in "A Bit of Broadway," an act replete with bright sayings, smart and clever songs, and for her, stunning gowns. Both young people are prime favorites here, and sure to be most welcome.

Paul Conchat, "Kaiser Wilhelm's military Hercules, will come in a bit of Greek action, "Achilles and Patrocles," affording some fine opportunity for posing and strong-man work, of the better sort. Claud and Fannie Usher, of "Pagan's Decision" fame, have a new play this year, called "The Strait Path," wherein he plays the wayward boy and she the child-sister who redeems him, while Spareribs, the lugubrious pup, is again a feature of the cast.

It has been years since the Ushers were called upon for a new sketch, but this is said to equal their former vehicle in pathos and comedy.

Frank Parish is a singing, dancing, leaping marvel who is excellent in those seemingly opposite lines. For another week, the Orpheum is thoroughly justified in retaining Frank Keenan in his powerful play, "Vindication;" Maurice and Florence Walton, with some new ballroom dances; Edna Showaltar, the bright and clever prima donna, and Smith, Cook and Marie Brandon, in "The Millionaires."

Pantages.

Ethel Davis brings her new musical comedy tabloid, "The Candy Ship," to Pantages next week. This is the first cruise of this sweet little offering, which was launched last week at Pantages Theater in San Francisco, and is anchored this week at Oakland.

Capt. Ethel's candy ship is "manned" by the cutest little bunch of sailorettes that ever stepped a hornpipe or waved a red flag. They are showing the latest styles in nautical wear, too, and have more kinds of clothes for every social occasion on shipboard than the most fastidious of our naval officers.

As to "The Candy Ship" itself, it is said to be a swift little craft, fit to sail any theatrical sea, and likely to be placed in regular commission of the Pantages line, plying between Vancouver and San Diego.

The remainder of next week's Pantages show is high-class vaudeville of the regular Pantages brand. Reed's acrobatic bull terriers, Diamond and Beatrice, Dunbar and Turner, and Julia Redmond and company in "The Critic and the Girl," are promised, and as a special added attraction we are to have the ever-popular Bob Albright.

Empress.

"Big Jim" the latest novelty in the way of the tango, hesitation waltz and one-step dances and who is the headline feature at the Empress this week is certainly proving himself very popular with the patrons of this theater. "Big Jim" is a large black bear who has been taught by careful training to do innumerable stunts such as dancing, wrestling and roller-skating.

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Mrs. Milton Hollingsworth,

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VANDERBILT COURSE SAVED.

Prompt Action Keeps Roads from Damage.

Not Much Chance of Calling Race Off.

Marquis Says He Needed the Practice.

BY AD G. WADDELL.

RACE MAY BE POSTPONED.

The Vanderbilt cup race is to be held Saturday if the rain ceases by noon today. If it rains after noon today, the race may be postponed until the following Saturday. It is the intention of the officials to run the Grand Prize race Monday, even if the Vanderbilt is postponed.

The course was not washed out up to a late hour last night. Every effort was made to protect the Santa Monica speedway and the water was drained off in such a way that practically no damage was done.

A twenty-four-hour battle with the elements, saved the automobile race course at Santa Monica.

The Vanderbilt Cup race will take place Saturday if it clears off by noon today. If it rains this afternoon and tonight, race officials have announced that the speed event calendared for Saturday may be postponed.

Practically no damage was done to the course, although the steady downpour flooded the entire Santa Monica Bay district. The fill-in, at the Wilshire-boulevard curve, better known as Nevada-avenue curve, has been washed out into the center of the street. Last night this was the only place on the entire circuit that showed the effects of the floods.

EASILY FIXED.

A corps of ten men could put the turn in shape for the race in an hour, but the drivers would have to slow up on each round and this would spoil the time. It is the intention of the race officials, therefore, to have a gang of men go to work as soon as the storm passes and reshape the turn. The course will then be in as good condition as it was before the rains.

When it first began to shower Tuesday night, W. H. Carter, superintendent of streets for Santa Monica, got out of bed, roused his men and went to work to protect the course against the floods.

At each crossing where the flow was dangerous, sand bags and timbers were put in, which drained the water across and down onto another street, where it was carried off in paved gutters. Water that did get under way on the course was dammed up with sand bags and carried off at intervals of from two to four blocks.

On San Vicente boulevard, the water came down from the short streets running up from the Palisades. There was no way to drain this off over the car tracks, which were raised above the course, so this flow was banked in and carried straight down the boulevard over the paved surface.

MISSED THE COURSE.

Fortunately, most of the water from the business section of Santa Monica did not hit the race course. This heavy flow hit Ocean avenue just one block below the Wilshire-boulevard curve.

At this curve, where the floods were considered most dangerous on account of the banked turn, the water was drained off between two dams of sand bags. This saved the turn and only the fill-in material was carried out of place.

This does not damage the course enough to hinder the race, but leaves the turn flat and shorter, as the curbs are now exposed. A force of workmen will be able to repair this point with little difficulty and E. Lillingston, chairman of the Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce Racing Committee, said yesterday that the race could be run off within two hours after it stopped raining.

WORKED ALL NIGHT.

Practically all Tuesday night wagons loaded with sand bags were hauling these to points on the course where the men were working. Early yesterday morning there were twenty men on the course from the county and the Supervisor himself helped to guard the unruly streams.

Shortly after daylight yesterday Chairman Lillingston, F. J. Townsend, treasurer of the committee, and Paul Derkum, field manager, were out on the course. They covered the entire circuit and then decided that the race could be run off as scheduled unless the rain continued up to within a few hours of the starting time.

Teddy Tetzlaff spent yesterday lounging around the Windermere Hotel at Santa Monica. He did not seem to be worried about the probability of the race not being run off.

TEDDY'S OPINION.

"Of course, I hope the course is at its best, but it makes little difference," he said. "We can drive this course a few hours after the sun comes out. There is only one thing, it might not be as fast, as it might be flat at the turns, but the rain will settle the dust and that is worth a lot to the drivers and the spectators, too."

Harry Grant rested yesterday morning at his cottage. In the afternoon he went over to the garage where his Isotta is housed and worked on his

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The Rival Captains.

Harry Kirkpatrick of Occidental (above) and Fred Kelly of U.S.C., who will meet in the hurdles Saturday afternoon on the Trojan field to settle a little duel of their own.

Starting Early.

SAN FRANCISCO WANTS 1915 VANDERBILT RACE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The classic Vanderbilt cup race is liable to be run over a San Francisco course in 1915, as a strong effort is to be made to have this big racing event held here during the exposition year. James B. Ryall, a local automobile dealer and a former star of the racing world, left for Los Angeles this evening to see William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and arrange for the holding of the Vanderbilt cup and the Grand Prize races in San Francisco next year.

It was largely due to Ryall that the big race was brought to Los Angeles this year. In an effort to obtain the sanction for holding the famous automobile classic in San Francisco during Portola week last fall, Ryall paved the way for the Southern California promoters to get the race for Washington's Birthday.

Vanderbilt was obliged to decline Ryall's request because the officials of the Cup Holding Association had twenty-four hours previously granted Savannah the right to hold the race meet When the Savannah promoters were obliged to toss up the sponge, San Francisco could have had the date, but Ryall did not deem the time sufficient in which to properly advertise and handle such a mammoth proposition, consequently Los Angeles obtained the sanction.

Ryall states he has the support of the exposition and city officials, and that local capitalists will aid him in the prömotion of the big races.

MANY FINE HORSES SOLD AT AUCTION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The midwinter horse auction at Madison Square Garden was concluded today. The prices averaged a little better than on the opening day. Guy Axworthy, a 12-year-old stallion, by Axworthy-Lillian Wilkes, and seventeen others, comprised the consignment from former Senator Joseph W. Bailey's Fairland Farm, Lexington, Ky., which brought $11,220, an average of $623. The top price of the day was $2100, paid for Guy Axworthy by H. C. Moody, Lexington, Ky. Gertrude Dillon, 9 years, by Sidney Dillon-Biscar, was bought by Curis Neck Farm, Colman, Va., for $1000, and the same purchaser got Baroness Evelyn, 7 years, by Baron Review-Virginia Reynolds, for $900.

The Patchen Wilkes stock farm consignment of nineteen 2-year-olds sold for $7803, an average of $411. The best price in this lot was realized when David Tod of Youngstown, O., paid $1125 for Lady Booker, by Peter the Great, dam Tuskegee Chimes, by Liberty Chimes. W. R. Cox of Dover, N. H., bought Morine, a bay mare, 7 years old, by Mobel, dam Leetell, for $1500.

Another 2-year-old, Peter Potempkin, by Peter the Great, dam Adioo Dillon, from the estate of James Farley of Flattsburgh, N. Y., was bought by W. R. Cox for $1600.

BILLY MANNING TO GIVE HIS REMEDY.

Billy Manning, one-time pugilist and the first exponent of calisthenics and delsarte who claims to have the only known method of curing tuberculosis, is about to give to the world his cure.

Manning is to meet several philanthropists today and the upshot of the meeting is expected to be the foundation of a $100,000 fund for the building of a sanatorium in which Manning's methods are to be demonstrated.

Manning's idea is not to perform the cures himself, but he will instruct the doctors and physicians of Los Angeles in his methods so that they will be able to effect the cures much as he effects them himself. Billy says that he had expected to die with his secret, but the unexpected offer on the part of the philanthropists has caused him to divulge it.

HOLIDAY FOR MORELAND.

Wat Moreland, head of the Moreland motor-truck concern of this city, has declared holidays for his employees, both on Saturday and Monday, so that they will be able to attend the Vanderbilt and Grand Prize races at Santa Monica. There are 171 men employed at the factory, and with their families the Moreland plant should be represented by about 500 men, women and children. Trucks furnished by the factory are to haul the Moreland employees and their families down to Santa Monica.

RUBY S. GOES NORTH.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The sloop Ruby S., owned by A. Stevens of the San Francisco Yacht Club, has been selected by the club to go to Eureka in May to try to bring back the San Francisco cup, which was lifted last summer by the Eureka club after it had been successfully defended by San Francisco bay yachtsmen for nineteen years.

Ex-Manager.

JOHNNY EVERS NOW A BRAVE.

ARRIVES IN BOSTON TO REPORT FOR PRACTICE.

Midget Second Baseman Is Insured by the Club for Large Amount. Says that He Wants to Start All Over Again on His Own Merit, Like a New Recruit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON (Mass.) Feb. 18.—Johnny Evers, the $60,000 second baseman of the Boston Braves, arrived in Boston this afternoon to report to Capt. Bill Sweeny and to be insured by the club.

It is figured that, since Evers cost the club so much money, and his services are worth so much, that it would be the height of prudence to have him insured at once before the season happens.

Therefore a $100,000 policy will be taken out on his life, payable to the club, with various clauses in it to total or partial disability.

Evers declared right off the bat that he wanted the Boston public to forget all about his big salary and that he wanted to start as the "youngest" member of the team, starting out to "make good" on the merit of what he may do here.

"I will look up to Stallings as though I was the rawest recruit and will do just what he says," said Evers. "I'll take my orders from the captain. Mr. Gaffney made me a friend for life. I'll do anything for him. The difference between him and Charley Murphy is so great I can't realize it."

ROBB WANTS COAST SWIMMERS HERE.

Wallace Robb, secretary of the Southern California branch of the A. A.U., is trying to land the Pacific Coast swimming championship in Los Angeles. It is Portland's turn to hold this meet, but owing to a lack of interest in the northern city Robb hopes to get the meet here.

Robb wrote to the secretary of the Pacific northwest branch, but as yet has no definite information. The Multnomah Athletic Club of Portland will hold their annual P.N.A. outdoor swimming championship meet in June, and they may enlarge this into a Pacific Coast championship affair. Robb will know in a few weeks whether the Multnomah club will stage this year's meet; if not, it is sure to come south.

Greek Meets Greek.

KELLY MEETS KIRKPATRICK.

Battle of the Giants Comes Off Saturday.

Borgstrom Is Not Eligible to Compete.

Pritchard and Cook Make Good Time.

The outcome of the U.S.C.-Occidental track meet is a mere trifle, in the minds of a good many, compared with the outcome of the two hurdle races in which Capts. Kelly and Kirkpatrick will meet.

Fred Kelly, Olympic hero, appears capable of beating anybody with ease except the quiet Tiger hurdler. Such stars as Whitted, Murray and Norton of Stanford and Beeson of California

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FOREIGN RACE DRIVERS ENTER.

[A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Feb. 18.—Five automobile racing drivers, the pick of Europe, sent in their entries today for the fourth annual 500-mile race to be held at the Indianapolis motor speedway next Memorial Day. The pilots are Jules Goux, who won the race last year; Chassagne, who holds about half of the racing records of England; Bollott, Christiens and Guyot.

JIMMY AUSTIN IS VERY INDIGNANT.

Jimmy Austin is red hot with indignation. A pugilistic poacher named Johnny Daly has announced himself in New York as the flyweight champion of the world. Whereas, every one knows that Jimmy is the flyweight champion himself.

"I have been hanging around here since 1908 waiting for a real chance to fight somebody," said Jimmy last night. "But it has been a year since I have had a chance to box. I have been the flyweight champion all this time. But here the other night two boys named Daly and Pinky Burns fought in New York for the flyweight championship. I'd like to know how they could fight for my championship.

"At any rate if this fellow Daly is willing to come out here and meet me, I will soon show him who is the flyweight champion."

It is very likely that McCarey will match Austin and Daly in the near future for championship belt. Jimmy Austin is one of the cleverest little fellows in the world at any weight.

ARIZONA BOOSTERS COMING FOR RACE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A "como estamos" special of two Pullman carloads of automobile enthusiasts left Phoenix tonight via the Southern Pacific and will be in Los Angeles at 7:15 o'clock Thursday morning. From Phoenix have gone sixty, joined at Maricopa by more from Tucson, to occupy a block of grand-stand seats provided by the Los Angeles Committee of Arrangements. The Arizona delegation was organized by the Maricopa Automobile Club, and is led by George Purdy Bullard, president of the organization and one of the officials of the races.

Down at Tampa.

CUBS ARE TO COMMENCE TRAINING SEASON TODAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TAMPA (Fla.) Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Good night boys, see you at 7:30 tomorrow morning," was the night cap of Manager Hank O'Day at 11 o'clock to the small group of Cubs who had not already gone to their rooms. The second hint was necessary to convey the information that scheduled sleeping hours on the training trip would begin at 11 o'clock. O'Day has drawn up a schedule which calls for two workouts a day.

The athletes will hear a vigorous pounding on their room doors if they are not already astir at 7:30 o'clock. After breakfast they will have until 10 o'clock before they are supposed to report at the ball grounds in uniform ready for two hours of work. The afternoon session will begin at 2 o'clock and will last three hours.

"There will be long hours of work," said O'Day in explaining his system, "but it will be light at the start. I believe in longer periods of practice with easy exercise than shorter hours with heavy work. I'll watch the young fellows to see that they do not overdo. The other fellows ought to know how to take care of themselves."

Big Doings.

GREAT STUNTS NEXT SUNDAY.

Aeroplane, Dirigible, Auto in Race.

Mimic War in Clouds Will Be Waged.

Several Harness Events on Programme.

A three-cornered race, one of the most unique ever offered in Los Angeles, has been arranged by the Los Angeles Driving Club as one of the attractions for its next matinee to be given Sunday afternoon at Exposition Park.

The big dirigible which Roy Knabenshue has been preparing to engage in transcity passenger carrying has been secured. This great airship, which seems to move through the air so slowly, is capable of obtaining a speed of sixty-five miles an hour. Against this airship will be matched Thomas J. Hill in his Bleriot monoplane, and to make the triangle complete, Teddy Tetzlaff in his Flat Cyclone will be entered.

The odd race is to be for the best two out of three mile heats. The airship is to be given the advantage of a flying start and will arise into the air at the lower end of the home stretch at Exposition Park. The monoplane will start seventy-five feet back of the wire and arise in the air at the tape. Tetzlaff alone will start at exactly scratch.

Knabenshue has made some wonderful time in his airship and when he challenged Tetzlaff and Hill it created a surprise. His best time, according to the air pilot, has been made at an altitude of 500 feet. This would give Hill in his Bleriot ample room to fly below him in the "three-decked" race.

In addition to this attraction, the club will present three fast harness races between the best animals now wintering at the park. It is to be a gala day affair, with exhibitions of passenger-carrying by the dirigible and a mimic fight in the clouds between the "scout" monoplane and the "dreadnought" airship.

Not satisfied with this, the driving club has secured two balloons which will make ascensions and from which daring parachuts leaps will be made.

Tetzlaff, who has always claimed that he can lower the world's five-mile record on the Exposition Park track, will make his third attempt Sunday afternoon. In his first two attempts he came within two seconds of the world's record and this time, with favorable conditions, he firmly believes that he will establish a new mark. He will also be sent away against the one-mile record held by Bob Burman and the ten-mile record.

PASADENA KENNEL SHOW LOOKS GOOD.

Everybody will be going to the dogs on March 13 and 14, so to speak. The Pasadena Kennel Club will hold their eighth annual dog show on those dates. All regular dogs are cordially invited to the dog show to be examined for blue ribbon points. The dog doesn't need to have any family history dating back to the landing of the Mayflower; all he has got to have is a good growl, some hair, and good looks.

The entry fee will be $2 a dog showing that the price of meat is still going up. The entries close February 28 and all dogs must be entered by that time. The dogs can be sent in by express at the exhibitor's expense. The show will be open from ten in the morning until ten at night.

R. C. Halstead and F. Ford are putting forth their best efforts to make this year's bow wow affair the best ever and some splendid entries are expected.

BIG RACES TO BE RUN OFF AT ASCOT.

Aviator Silas Christofferson has wired the management of Ascot Park that he would return to Los Angeles in time for an exhibition on Sunday. Christofferson made himself famous by flying over the Techachepi last Monday, a feat which no aviator had ever accomplished before. He will give his much-talked of "death dive" which brought him into such prominence a short time ago at the Panama Exposition Park at San Francisco.

The management has also secured several of the prominent motorcycle riders in the city to compete for cash prizes for one five-mile professional event and a single-cylinder race. Al. Whitesell of the Excelsior team is willing to allow his team to compete and Riedon will enter an eight-valve machine with a prominent rider.

It is the intention of the management to secure most of the entrants in the Vanderbilt and Grand Prix races if possible and to arrange a three-cornered race between the winner of the motorcycle event, the auto entrants and Christofferson.

A great many of the visitors to the city, who are here for the auto races are enthusiastic over the plans for the novel and daring series of events.

TOUCHARD WINNING TENNIS LAURELS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

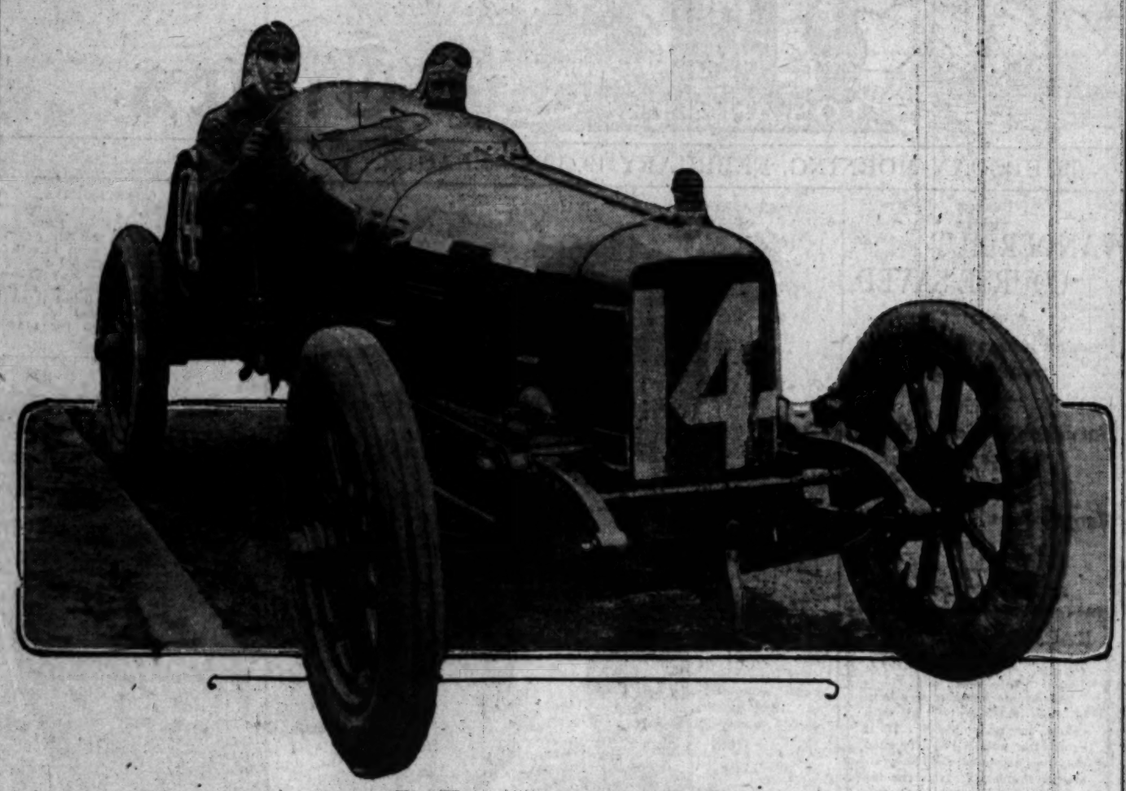
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Gustave F. Touchard, the playing-through title-holder, won today his place in the semi-final round of the singles in the national indoor championship lawn-tennis tournament. Touchard defeated G. Carlton Shafer, 6-1, 7-5. Touchard, by his victory, was paired with Benjamin M. Phillips for the final.

W. C. Grant and G. C. Shafer, the doubles champions, as well as G. S. Groesbeck and John C. McKay, won their places in the semi-final round of the doubles. Grant and Shafer beat L. V. Robinson and Gustave G. Grenz, 6-1, 6-2; while Groesbeck and McKay disposed of H. F. Guggenheim and H. A. Williams, 7-5, 7-5.

The doubles match which attracted the greatest interest was in the third round, Touchard and William B. Craigen, Jr., defeating Karl H. Behr and Vernon S. Prentice, famous Yale-Harvard veterans, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4.

WEBBER ON THE JOB.

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The Los Angeles team of the Pacific Coast Baseball League will train at Urbita Springs here, from March 2 to 30, according to announcement made today by Secretary Webber. Practice games will be held with local aggregations.



The Flying Green Sunbeam Racer.

Driven by J. B. Marquis. This foreign wonder has only been on the course a couple of days for practice, but its great record in the 12-hour trial guarantees that it will be a real contender in both the Vanderbilt and Grand Prize.

What, Again!

GOODWIN HURDLES BACK TO THE FEDERAL CAMP.

Wires Statement from Imperial Making His Position Clear—Organized Ball Ready to Back Him in Court Fight if He Will Stay Here—Mundorff of Seals Ready to Jump.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

CLAIRE GOODWIN has gone back to the Federals—rejumped, as it were.

In a wire to the writer from Imperial last night, Goodwin makes his position clear. He says:

"The rumor that I have signed with the Federal League is correct. I have accepted terms with them. A statement has been made that I had contracted with the Los Angeles club before agreeing with the Federals, but this is a mistake. I had positively contracted with the Federals first. The financial inducements of the Federals are much better than any inducements offered me by the Los Angeles club. I can make more money in three years with the Federal League than I could make in five by remaining with the Los Angeles club, though I am sure that Mr. Berry would do all in his power for my advantage. However, I think it would be impossible for me to remain with the Los Angeles club even if I desired to do so."

Arthur Krueger, who is now handling the Federal League affairs here for George Stovall, received a letter from Goodwin yesterday, and after dissecting it announced positively that the player would be with the Kansas City club.

These things would seem to remove any lingering doubts as to the present intentions of the young man.

Goodwin, it is true, has heretofore reserved the right to change his mind overnight, and he may yet, be swung back into the ranks of the Coast League.

Organized baseball stands ready to back him to the limit should he do this and the Feds carry the case into the courts. President Berry made this declaration yesterday.

Goodwin now fully intends to stay with the Federals, and really had no serious intention of quitting them when he signed a Los Angeles contract last Saturday. This belief is based not alone on his telegraphic statement, but from confidential information received from another source.

"For his own good I hope that Goodwin does not sign with a league which does not promise to survive the season," said Berry. "If he cares to stay with the Los Angeles club, and the Federals try to make trouble for him in the courts, organized baseball from the Coast League to the highest powers will back him. I think that he has been influenced against his better judgment; bluffed into believing that he will be forced to play with the Federals."

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Is Champion Hurdler.

Goodwin is famous as the only man who has anything on King Cole when it comes to jumping. De Kink, it will be remembered hopped to the Federals and then hopped right back again.

Los Angeles first sent the young player a contract calling for a substantial raise. He sent it back with a request for more money. The Los Angeles club accepted his terms.

A day or two later he signed a Federal League contract.

Learning this, Secretary Weber made a flying trip to Imperial, had a heart-to-heart talk with the wavering second baseman, and by nightfall Saturday had Goodwin's name on a Los Angeles contract.

Now comes the fourth change of heart, and Goodwin's announcement that he will stick with the Feds.

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Mundorff Also Would Jump.

Howard Mundorff, outfielder of the San Francisco club, also shows distinct signs of defection.

He has made application for a berth with the Federals. In a letter to Arthur Krueger received yesterday, he asks the latter player to use his influence in getting him a place with the new organization. Mundorff gives as his reason for not wanting to stay with the Seals that the management inserted an "anti-booze" clause in his contract. He regards this as a curtailment of "personal liberty."

Krueger has telegraphed Mundorff's application to Stovall.

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Tigers Get Transportation.

Maier and Hogan yesterday announced that they had sent transportation to Chellete, Fleharty, Elliott, Harkness, Leard and Borton. All with the exception of Harkness and Leard are in the East. "Speck" is wintering in Portland, while Leard is in Oakland. The latter is expected to reach here in time to participate in the game Sunday between the Elks and Knights of Columbus. The Tigers have been instructed to turn out for spring practice Tuesday. Most of them will have been rounded up by that time, although there may be a few who will be a bit tardy in reporting.

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Tigers versus White Sox.

Maier and Hogan yesterday made arrangements for the Tigers to play the first team of the Chicago White Sox in Oxnard on March 18. President Maier will accompany the team to that city and extend the glad hand of welcome to Jimmy Callahan, who will be with the first division Sox. Following the game the teams will leave for Los Angeles, and play here the following day.

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Lay Out Training Grounds.

Plans for the Tigers' training camp de luxe at Maier's Santa Susanna ranch have almost been completed, and actual construction work on the improvements will be started immediately. The laying out of the golf links and handball and tennis courts was done Tuesday under the direction of Maier and Hogan.

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Coast League Meeting.

The directorate of the Coast League will hold a confab in San Francisco on February 25 for a further consideration of the Employers' Liability Act.

President Baum and Frank Leavitt, owner of the Oakland club, have gone over the matter thoroughly since the annual meeting of the league, and have about decided that it is up to the league to insure its men or run the risk of steering into a financial cataclysm in case of a train wreck or other disaster involving the players.

It is possible that ways and means to combat further aggressions by the Feds may be considered at the meeting.

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Jimmy Toman Retires.

Jimmy Toman, a decade ago the idol of local baseball fans, and more recently an umpire, has put aside the indicator and will enter business in Los Angeles.

James made known his intentions yesterday, when he returned unsigned a contract offered him by Fielder Jones, president of the Northwestern League, in which circuit Toman officiated as chief-of-umps or some such capacity last season.

This action, coming on the heels of a Federal League offer which Toman turned down, stamps Jimmy as one of our very best little refusers.

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May Cut Out Double-Headers.

Henry Berry is opposed to double-headers on the general run of holiday dates in the California League. He believes that a double dose on July 4 is about all that circuit can well assimilate, and has suggested that Allan T. Baum, the interlocking president, adjust his schedule accordingly.

Baum is not so sure of the California League's limited capacity for double-headers, and will delve into the matter further before taking any step to deprive it of baseball at both ends of the holidays. The holiday business has became quite an industry in California, and the people are getting quite adept, at celebrating them. The Coast League seldom overlooks any good bets in the holiday line, and has been known to stage double-headers on the slightest provocation.

Berry argues that with the four-teen-player limit in vogue in the California League the clubs do not have the pitchers with which to stand the strain of a double attraction.

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Barry a Land Baron.

Happened onto Jack Barry the other night. Jack will be remembered as a member of Portland's pennant-winning teams of 1910 and 1911. Prior to that he saw twelve years' service in the majors, with Washington, New York and other clubs.

Barry is a mild-mannered, soft-spoken Celt, and bears not the remotest resemblance to the "battle-scarred" veterans of baseball fiction.

Barry is through with baseball, both as a player and manager, but maintains a keen interest in the sport. Until recently he was the proud owner of an orange orchard near Redlands. He recently traded this for 300 acres of promising young land in the San Joaquin Valley.

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Why Beavers Lost.

It was in 1910 that Buddy Ryan began busting down the fences in the Coast League.

When Buddy didn't get at least one home run it was regarded as a dull day, and the fans showed signs of ennui. It was Buddy's big stick which was driving the Beavers toward the pennant.

This became evident when an injury forced Ryan out of the game for a few days, and the Beavers began to slip.

"Pretty tough, isn't it, Mac?" consoled Barry one day, coming in from the field.

McCredie, who was feeling sarcastic, curled up his lip and shot back: "What else could you expect with my whole team sitting on the bench?" accompanying the remark with a gesture that designated Ryan.

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Good Advice to Pitchers.

President Baum is not opposed to a limited amount of baseball for the general run of players, but he doesn't think that pitchers should dilly-dally with the off-season pastime.

"A pitcher's judgment should warn him against winter ball," said Baum. "Every game which he pitches between seasons simply reduces the length of his effective service—reduces his earning capacity, as it were. The money which he receives for playing in the winter will by no means compensate him for the harm which he will eventually suffer. He may not feel the strain for a few years, but it is sure to tell in the long run."

Baum cites his brother, "Spider," as a shining example. "Spider" went into the mountains and forgot baseball during the winter of 1912-13, and the result was one of the best seasons of his career. "Spider" has reached a point where he realizes the importance of conserving his pitching energies. But although a veteran in point of service, he expects to be able to prolong his effectiveness for several seasons yet, by according humane treatment to his pitching arm.

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Berry Is Marooned.

Henry Berry was marooned at the ball park for three hours yesterday while Washington street was giving a life-like imitation of the Mississippi after a cloudburst. A pedestrian crossing Hill street near there was swept off his feet by the flood. The current carried him into Washington. He bumped against the fence of the park with a thud, failed to get a toe-hold, and was swept down Washington to Grand, where he was rescued by an automobile. Being a witness to this horrifying experience, Berry decided to take no chances, and continued to adorn the ridgepole of the grand stand until the water subsided.

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Weber in San Berdoo.

Being a brave man, Secretary "Boots" Weber of the Los Angeles club ventured down to San Bernardino yesterday to observe how the Urbita Springs diamond behaves under the stress of much wetness. But slight hopes are entertained for his return.

CITRUS BASKETBALL.

The basketball championship among the Y.M.C.A.s of the citrus belt has brought out some fast players and a bunch of hard fought games. Riverside and San Bernardino tied for the high honors and are playing a three-game series for the title. The former won the first game of the series at the Riverside Y.M.C.A., 42 to 33. The San Bernardino team was minus the services of their crack center, Hoagland, but with the big fellow back in the line-up the Gate City team stands better than an even chance to win out.

The International Olympic Committee has summoned a congress of representatives of all national Olympic committees to meet in Paris from June 13 to 24.

We Hope So.

LOCAL YACHTS MAY BE ENTERED.

EXPOSITION RACES ATTRACT OUR SAILORS.

Syndicate May Be Formed of Los Angeles Yachtsmen to Build Entry for the Big International Events in 1915—Joe Fellows to Enter Hydroplane.

The South Coast Yacht Club is in receipt of a copy of "Information for Yachtsmen," issued under date of January 30, 1914, by the Yachting Bureau of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, 1915, which contains much valuable and interesting data on the regattas next year at the exposition.

That the city of Los Angeles should be represented in the big sailing regatta which will be held during the three weeks from April 5 to April 24, 1915, is well recognized and some months ago when the subject was broached in Los Angeles, it seemed easy to get together by popular subscription sufficient funds to build a proper yacht for the principal event of the international races.

Valuable cups have been offered as prizes for the winners of all races and the exposition will furnish souvenirs to all competing yachts.

The sailing regatta will be open to all yachts owned by members of any recognized club and separate races are to be arranged for under both the international and universal rules. There will be no entry fee for yachts desiring to enter any of the races, the only expense being a nominal fee which will be charged by the official measurer.

A SMALLER ONE.

Should it prove impossible for the local yachtsmen to build a boat to sail in the twelve-meter international race, for which President Wilson has offered a cup, to be known as the "President Wilson cup," the local enthusiasts can certainly build a boat or several boats to sail in the "sonder class." These boat will be built under rules which require that the length on the water line, plus the extreme beam, plus the extreme draft, must not exceed thirty-two feet (9.75 meters;) the limit of cost for each boat (including two suits of sails) is fixed at $2400 and the total number of persons on board is three.

A syndicate is already building a twelve-meter boat at San Francisco and an entry in this event has been made by Great Britain, so it is up to local capital if they desire to put Los Angeles city on the map as a first-class yachting center, to get busy.

There is no doubt but what the regatta for motor boats which will be held in October, 1915, will receive entries from Los Angeles, as Joe Fellows will surely be on the job and undoubtedly a number of other owners of fast hydroplanes will enter their racing machines.

PIER FISHERMEN NEED NO LICENSE.

The new State law requiring all people fishing for game fish to secure a license has caused considerable agitation among the pier fishermen. It has been rumored around that all people fishing for salt water or fresh water fish would have to take out a license.

A letter received by George Cline from the State Game and Fish Commission clears up this misunderstanding and will put the pier fisherman at ease. The letter states that only people fishing for game fish and members of the Rod and Reel Club will have to secure a license. The game fish includes all fresh water fish and certain salt water fish. The tuna, jewfish and other game fish at Catalina will be protected by this law and yellowtail come under the ban.

People fishing off the piers will not have to secure a license. All salt water fishing for profit is exempt from this tax. This license is to help protect the game fish and to raise funds for the purpose of keeping up the hatcheries and restock the fishing grounds.

TENNIS POSTPONED.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Owing to the rain here this afternoon the final match in the consolation men's singles between Roy Freeman and A. Cantwell was postponed until Saturday afternoon.

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Kelly and Kirkpatrick.

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are easy for the giant Trojan, but Kirkpatrick, while usually beaten, runs Kelly much too close for comfort, and the Occidental students are not afraid to say that they expect him to take the measure of the Trojan next Saturday.

Kelly undoubtedly has the edge on time in the high hurdles, his mark of 15 seconds flat being two-fifths better than that of the Tiger. However, Kelly never has been able to finish more than a stride in front of the speedy Kirk.

In the low sticks both men have marks of 25 flat, and it is in this event that Kirkpatrick has the best chance to win, as he has been making remarkable time in practice.

Several of the other Tiger stars have recently clipped off their events in rapid time. Johnny Cook and Sam Pritchard each reeled off his event Tuesday afternoon and Johnny is said to have stepped off a very sensational lap in better than 52 seconds. Pritchard, it is rumored, fractured the college record in the two-mile.

ANNIN IN SHAPE.

Bill Annin is also rapidly rounding into shape for his little duel with Tipton in the half. Tipton has been keeping very much under cover this year, and is in much better shape than his time would indicate. He stepped off his half in the relay carnival in pretty good time, and only loafed, as he was set off far in the rear.

Charlie Borgstrom, the elongated pole-vaulter of the Trojans, will not be eligible to compete against the Tigers, and this will leave the competition a little closer in that event. He will probably compete in order to set up a new record, but his points will not count against the Occidental cohorts.

Howard Drew is conceded an easy first in both sprints, but there is a little duel on between Sid Foster of the Tigers and Bradley and Courtney of the Trojans for the second place. On reputation the Trojans should nose out the Tigers, but Sid has been showing a lot of speed of late.

The Occidental relay team is something of a question. Baptiste Hats, the young freshman who ran the second lap for the Tigers in the relay carnival, is out of it. He sustained a spiked foot from Shorty Wells at the start of his lap, and his running on the injured limb didn't help matters any. The fact that he had to have four stitches taken in his foot shows that he won't be in the running.

Coach Pipal last night said that he didn't expect his team, picked from a student body of 300, to beat one picked from over 2000, and that he would try out several men in new events in order to get a line on their ability. Pritchard will be run in both the mile and two-mile races.

The Tigers and Trojans both figure this as a sort of try-out affair, as neither team is in shape as yet, but the duels between the stars of the two schools in several of the events will be worth the price of admission alone.

The Leader twins, Ed and Elmer, who rowed Nos. 2 and 3 in the University of Washington varsity eight at Poughkeepsie last year, have decided to give up rowing this year.

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BIG TRACK MEET AT SAN BERNARDINO

Coach Fred Johnson of the San Bernardino High, the pride of the citrus belt, has completed arrangements for the annual opening carnival of the Southern California Association Field Meet, which will be held with the athletes of the high schools competing for gold, silver and bronze medals.

Some of the best high school athletes of the southern half of the state will be present at the meet from Pomona, Riverside, San Bernardino, Chaffey, Redlands, Corona and Fullerton.

The feature of the meet will be the relay races and the dual meet between Riverside and San Bernardino, the two strongest high schools in the southern section. The one mile, two mile and four mile relay races between the high schools and the one mile relay race between the grammar schools will also be run off. The relay races promise to be the fastest and mile relay ever run in southern California, as the best high school quartets in the southern section will be entered in the event. All the relay teams are said to be in good shape for the meet, and if the weather permits a number of records should go by the board.

Mr. Titus

On the Way.

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(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

EL PASO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Scouting through the country for a site upon which to erect a duplicate of his big Toledo plant, J. N. Willys, president of the Overland Automobile Company, left here Tuesday night for Los Angeles in a private car over the Southern Pacific.

President Willys has been visiting factories along the Mexican border, including El Paso, in search of the logical location for a factory site where he could erect a big motor mill to turn out 100 or more cars a day for the Mexican, Southwestern and Pacific coast trade.

The factories shown over the city, was in conference with Villa regarding the situation in rebel territory, gathered data on the freight rates, cost of raw materials here, and will make a survey of the Southern California field in the same way.

Before leaving Mr. Willys announced that he would build a plant somewhere along the Mexican border to better serve Mexico as well as Texas, Arizona, New Mexico and California. He mentioned Los Angeles and El Paso as his two best bets and will investigate further before he returns to Toledo to make his report.

BILLIARD GAMES AT BRUNSWICK.

Walter Kemsper defeated Bisaillon 400 points to 111 in the deciding game of Neim's amateur 18-2 balkline billiard tournament last evening before a large crowd which had assembled in expectation of seeing a close contest.

The exhibition as to closeness followed, but not as to interesting play, for Kemsper took the lead after the first inning and kept it with gains throughout the twenty-eight rounds played, running a consistent billiards game with an average of 8.93.

Bisaillon's runs included 53, 52, 30, 18 and 12. Bisaillon scored 26, 16 and 15, with an average of four. Kemsper retains the high run record of the tournament, with sixty-seven scored second prize, the first going to Kemsper.

Tonight opens a novice three-cushion billiard tournament, the next Monday night the following entries and handicaps:

Kemsper, 45; Rose, 45; Darling, 40; Neim, 40; Cox, 38; Chamberlain, 35; Bisaillon, 35; Killian, 35.

Kemsper will be matched by Nelms and Wright for a match of 1200 points against the professional, Brunswick, of San Francisco, the first three games of which are to be played at Kemsper's room in the Bay City, February 24, 27; the last half of the match is set for the Brunswick on March 2, 3.

Tonight's quota consists of 200 points and the player who makes the highest run on the six nights is to be declared winner of the match and prize. Thus the winner is not likely to be known until the last night of play.

IN COURT'S DOPE.

Yesterday's storm prevented both Tommy and Kid Kenneth from getting their usual training for their bout next Friday night. Tommy did no boxing, but pulled on the mitts with Harry Burns around the ring several rounds down at the Y. M. C. A.

Kid Kenneth did a little light work out at his cottage and both called it a day.

Tommy is in good condition, just finished several weeks' work with Jimmy Clabby, so one day's work will not interfere with his condition.

Referee Azevedo has been censured by the club for refusing to meet Steve Kennedy. Some of the sport writers think he should meet some of the lightweights in the boxing game and others that he should try to hook up with Joe Rivers or some of that class. But I think that this boy Ketchell is a bit of a joke as a comedian, and is not what he is cracked up to be. He lost a decision to Jimmie Rowan a few weeks ago to a boxer who is not known on the Coast, and I for one can see no reason why Referee Azevedo should have had a lot of those southern champions come to the club and fail to make good. Why don't Ketchell come to the front and show what he has before the fans? We know that Azevedo is a good referee, but know nothing of Ketchell. Come out and show us, Jimmie, and if you are what your manager Litchenstein, says you are we will be with you.

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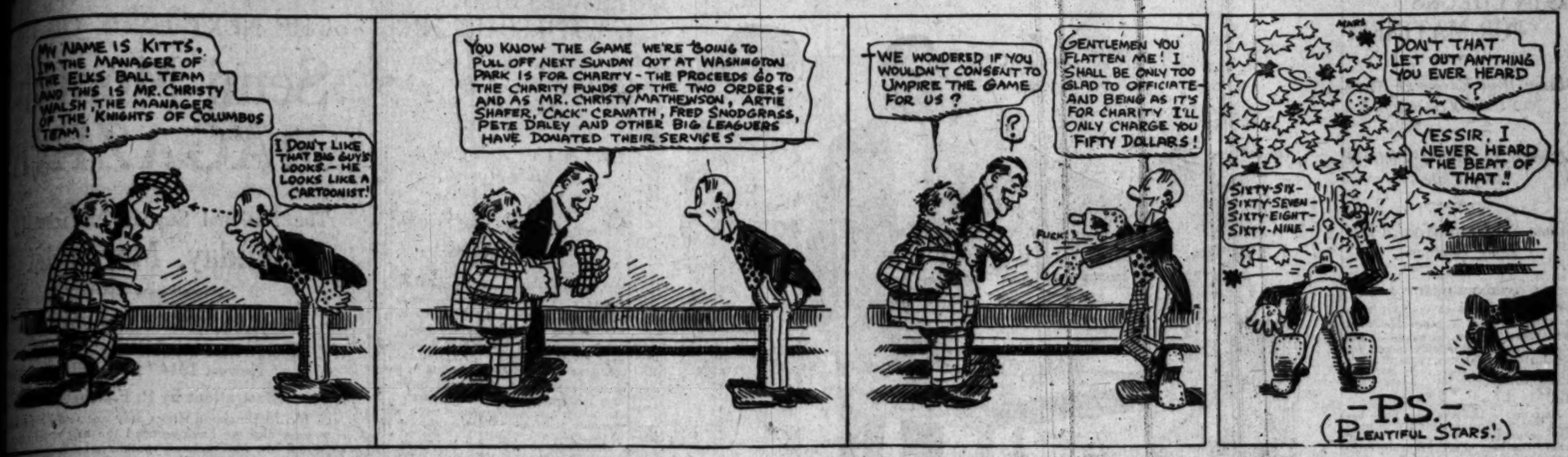

From a Carr Window.

"NOODLES and knuckles" are the ingredients that go to make up a successful fighter, according to Ad Wolgast.

All of us are willing to agree with Adolph about the knuckles, but as to the noodle—we will have to raise a warning finger at the Dutchman and qualify his remarks a little.

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Old Bob Armstrong, the old boxer who has trained so many champions, told me once that he had never seen a very bright man who was a very good boxer. Bob contended that, ah education comes into the brain, the fighting instinct oozes away at the fists.

His theory was that the intellect and the fighting instinct are like two horses. While they both remain cheap plugs, they are easy enough to manage together; but the more spirited and the more highly developed they become, the more difficult it is to get them to do team work.

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Bob's idea is well borne out by filing as exhibits such men as Jack Johnson, Young Griffo, Terry McGovern. But as a pleader, Brer Armstrong must be considerably worried at the mention of Packy McFarland, Johnny Kilbane and Abe Attell.

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It can be put down as a mysterious truth that men like Jack Johnson can move faster than they can think. I don't know why and I don't believe anybody else does. The best explanation is to pass it by vaguely as "instinct," which, as it doesn't mean anything in particular, is a highly satisfactory explanation for anything.

It is sufficient to say that, for some reason of which we know next to nothing, Johnson's muscles and his brain are hooked up in a perfect coordination. My high-brow friend, Henry Warnack, says that Johnson does not think what to do; he sees what to do.

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But how about Packy McFarland? It cannot be said in his case that his instinct is higher than his intellect.

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I have a little theory of my own.

It seems to me not so much a matter of the AMOUNT of the intellect needed to make a boxer as the KIND of intellect.

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Let us set up the most brilliant boxers now before the public and vivisect them.

I suppose that every one will agree that the following boxers top the list—Johnson, Clabby, Kilbane, Attell, Coulon, Gibbons.

Of these all are Irish, except Johnson, who is a negro, and Attell, who is Yiddish.

Taking up a little of the past, we collect one more Irishman and one more negro—Joe Gans and Jim Corbett.

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The Irishman and the negro have one great characteristic in common—emotionalism. And emotionalism involves mobility of mind. The Irishman boxes brilliantly because his mind shifts quickly. He is not "set in his notions." He changes easily from one topic to another. No Irishman likes long discussions. He is witty because his mind is always on tip toes.

He is a dreamer, but a romantic dreamer—not an analytical meditator.

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The negro is mobile minded because his emotions are so strong that they sweep his judgment along with it. The mind of a colored man is a passenger on a train and his emotions are the train.

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Abe Attell, the Hebrew, belongs to a race of quick adaptability. The merchant from the Ghetto succeeds because he is always alive to what goes on around him. He is always interested. He sees chances that escape other men because his mind easily jumps to meet new conditions.

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My conclusion is that intellect helps a boxer if he has the kind of mind that is quick to move. If he belongs to a race that is phlegmatic, slow, analytical, philosophical and moody, the smarter he is the poorer boxer he will be. His mind will be simply a load for his fists to carry.

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You will not notice that this discussion coldly ignores such boys as Adolph, himself, and Bat Nelson.

Ad is one of the greatest fighters who ever heard the referee count out his opponent; but Ad is no boxer. He succeeds for the same reason that Gen. Grant beat Gen. Lee. He sees that superior strength cannot help but win in the long run and just slammed in.

Ad's whole system of fighting is built upon the deliberate principle of NOT boxing. He covers himself with a shell of elbows and boxing gloves and faces the storm. Whenever his opponent fights hard, Ad closes his shell a little tighter and accepts the punishment. The instant the opposing boxer relaxes his efforts, Ad tears into him and keeps on tearing in until the next onslaught.

This isn't boxing at all. This is book-keeping. Ad runs his fights on the principle of profit and loss. His capital consists of a pair of sturdy fists which he invests in a twenty-round venture. All the blows that collide with his countenance he puts down to necessary losses; all the exhaustion to operating expense; and the blows that he connects with his rival's face to profits.

A Throw-back.

TERRIBLE TERRY FOUGHT BY AN ANIMAL INSTINCT.

TERRY M'GOVERN, the greatest fighting machine the ring ever saw, was picked up wandering about the streets of Brooklyn by a policeman. He did not know who or where he was. At the police station a sergeant recognized him.

"You're Terry McGovern," he said.

"Yes, I'm McGovern," said Terry, and forthwith forgot his identity and everything else.

"Terrible Terry," he was called, and the name suited him. He was a man with the fighting instinct of an animal, a throwback. In the ring he harked back to man when he was much nearer the lower animals than he is now.

No man ever stepped in the ring who was equipped by nature for fighting as was Terry. In the human brain are two compartments. The upper, the cerebrum, and the conscious, reasoning intellect; the lower one, the cerebellum, is the place where impressions are received and impulses to act sent out.

When the ordinary man fights he notes certain openings or dangers with his eyes. These are registered by the cerebellum. The impression is then sent on to the cerebrum, where certain movements in offense or defense are determined upon the telegraphed back to the cerebellum, which orders the required muscles to act.

This is the reason we see so many fighters execute two or three movements quickly, then, although danger threatens or a perfect opening offers, they pause, because the muscular machinery must come to a stop until a new impression can be registered by the eyes and a new line of action determined upon by the upper brain. This, of course, takes time and makes a man a poor fighting animal, but it is the physical penalty which he must pay for having developed a thinking brain.

Many animals are not obliged to do this. When their eyes see their muscles act by instinct, correctly and accurately in marvelously quick response to danger or desire. Eminent physiologists declared that Terry was a nervous freak, constructed upon this plan.

Volumes have been written about the McGovern rush, and it was worthy of all the notice it gained. Nothing like it was ever seen before, nor has anything risen up since that can be compared to it. No man ever stood before it in McGovern's prime, and the terror fought everybody who would fight him without asking any questions as to size or weight.

M'FARLAND SEEMS HARD TO LOCATE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] W. H. Wellman, manager of the Madison Square Garden, New York, who for two days has been trying to run down Packy McFarland to tell him that his terms for a fight with Mike Gibbons of St. Paul were accepted, has met with no success and has gone back to New York. McFarland learned yesterday that Wellman was looking for him and has been busy sidestepping ever since. Wellman even went to Joliet, where it was reported McFarland was calling on his fiancee. While the New Yorker was en route to Joliet, however, Emil Thiry, the sidestepper's manager, telephoned McFarland, who immediately beat it to a new hiding place.

Vanderbilt Course Safe.

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car awhile. He then turned in and assisted Marquis on the Sunbeam.

This Sunbeam pilot is one who fared ill-luck when it rained. He had just had his car out two mornings and had not been able to get his engine to acting right. He has been having trouble with a valve adjustment and it was his wish to get as much time on the course as possible in order to get his machine into the stepping class.

The other drivers are all familiar with the course and their cars are running well.

SORRY FOR MARQUIS.

Grant said last night that he was sorry it had rained for the sake of Marquis, but that it would do the country a lot of good and not interfere with the race unless it continued until a few hours of time for the race to start.

Mayor Dudley insisted last night that the race would be run off unless it rained Saturday.

"Let it rain," his honor is quoted as saying to members of the committee. "It will do the farmers good and just as long as it stops before Friday night, we will run off the greatest race ever held in the United States."

The street superintendent said just before going to bed last night that the race could be run if it rained up to midnight Friday. He assured drivers and race officials that the Wilshire avenue turn would not be damaged in the least, as the water was carried off by a storm drain. As this is the only dangerous point on the circuit, the course is considered safe unless the storm increases and the men on the job are taken by surprise.

FLOYD BROWN, CARD COACH, IS MARRIED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY (Cal.) Feb. 18.—The campus friends and admirers of Floyd Cromwell Brown, who coached last year's successful football team, were surprised today by the news that he was married last Saturday to Miss Ramona Staley of Selma, Cal. That Brown was even engaged was not known to the students.

Miss Staley was a childhood sweetheart of the coach, Selma being his home town. They will make their home in San Jose, as Brown, when he is not instructing Stanford giants in punting and back formation, is instructing the students of the College of the Pacific in logarithms and conic sections.

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RAIN CHECKS FOR MATINEE.

Mason Will Exchange Seats Not Used Yesterday.

Morosco to House Pictures for While.

When Sid Grant Needed His Long Partner.

BY GARDNER BRADFORD.

Well, can you beat this? I have it from no less a personage than Will Wyatt himself, manager of the Mason, that those holding tickets for the matinee yesterday, who did not attend, can exchange them for any other performance of "Adele" this week.

Now maybe this has been done before, but I have no record of a similar occurance. Even in baseball where the rain check probably originated they don't supply those who stayed at home.

However, that is not important, the fact remains that if you had a ticket for the Mason yesterday afternoon and did not use it, it is still good.

Douglass Jeffries, who comes to the Mason in "Milestones," used to be a newspaper cartoonist in London until lured on the stage. Now he is making a collection of "managers I have met," and they say it's a scream, and quite contradicts the idea that the English have no humor.

Right away quick we are to say good-by to "How D'ye Do" and for the time being the Morosco will be turned over the pictures, mainly on account of the contrariness of Marie Dressler, who, they tell me has finally gotten under way in 'Frisco.

Too bad it could not have been arranged to have Dressler open here instead of up north, thus keeping out the films. Had this been done, it might have been possible to send Kitty Gordon north for a week or two and slip in a show at the Burbank till Rita is ready.

And "Pretty Mrs. Smith," by the way, will pack her trunk soon, anyway. Harry James is going east with this show and he and Jack White were looking all over the Burbank for it yesterday. They eventually found it floating around in the cellar.

I understand that all the new members of the eastbound company are due here tomorrow, so it will almost be a case of walk right in and walk right out again.

That is, unless they have to sail in.

And believe me, you could sail yesterday, which would not be at all pertinent to this column were it not for the fact that when I came out of the Burbank and looked at the raging flood, Sid Grant of "Smith" was doing likewise.

Also his gaze wandered across the torrent, to where his cosy little auto tugged at its anchor. "I wonder if it's over my head," he mused, and then, as an afterthought, sighed, "Oh if Charlotte (Greenwood) were only here, she would get it for me."

Which only goes to show that being long, lean and lanky comes in handy sometimes.

George Mooser, whom you all know, and who is now with Kolb and Dill, in the East, wired Marquis Ellis yesterday to locate his pupil, Silvian de Jasdine, and send him to Chicago to play Red in "A Peck o' Pickles."

It sounded easy, but it was some time before we found Silvy as he turns out to be none other than the famous Bob Vernon of moving picturedom.

Bob wired back that he would accept provided he could get an extension of time and thus be able to finish his courses here before leaving Los Angeles.

Marie Lloyd, whom I am frank to admit I like best of them all, is coming to the Orpheum soon, unless Uncle Sam interferes.

But you see Marie has a prospective hubby and he doesn't belong on this side. And Uncle Sam says that as hubby-to-be has no job he can't stay here and will be deported unless he gets married this week. So Marie may have to chase out and get married, probably in Portland, and you never can tell what is going to happen.

Lester Fountain of the Hippodrome made the same remark yesterday when he and Van Pelt met face to face, walking the plank that arched the tide.

While they were arguing as to which should back up, an auto truck hit the end of the plank and the argument ended in a wet heat.

FROMME SIGNS UP FOR ONE SEASON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The New York National League club today received the signed contract of Pitcher Fromme, who, according to report, had been negotiating with the Federal League all winter. Fromme signed for only one year.

The advance squad of the National League champions will leave tomorrow for their training camp in Marlin, Tex. Dick Kinsella, scout for the Giants, will have charge of the Marlin training camp until McGraw takes charge, on March 11.

NO TRUCK STARTERS.

Although a few makers of commercial vehicles favor the use of self-starting apparatus for their product, it seems to be the consensus of opinion of the majority of manufacturers that such equipment is a complication that is not warranted at the present time when still in its development stages. There are many mechanical problems in connection with the making of a truck-starting apparatus which assume large proportions. The electric cranking devices which have worked out satisfactorily for passenger cars are not applicable to trucks. Solid tires, stiff springs and cobblestone and other rough pavements subject the whole truck chassis to many times the vibration that the average passenger vehicle chassis receives.

Scene from "Milestones,"

Coming to the Mason. From left to right, Cathleen Doyle as Lady Monkhurst, Douglas Jeffries as Richard Sibley and Florence Born as Florence.

BIG LEAGUE CHATTER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSFIELD (Mass.) Feb. 18.—John Collins, outfielder of the Chicago American League baseball club, today received offers from the Chicago and Buffalo Federal League clubs. He refused both, as he has signed for 1914. He left later for the training camp.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Thomas Seaton, last year pitcher with the Philadelphia Nationals, signed today to pitch for the Federal League, it was announced from headquarters. Seaton will go to Brooklyn. He declared that he had not come to any agreement with President Baker of the Philadelphia club.

Seaton's salary with the Brooklyn club will be $7000 a year, it was given out, and he was paid one year's salary in advance. Seaton's contract calls for his services for three years. The manager wanted by Brooklyn is Jake Stahl, and R. B. Ward of the Brooklyn Federals will reach Chicago tomorrow to talk personally with him.

The scheduled meeting of the Federals will be in March in Baltimore.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 18.—"We will protect our rights to Seaton to the limit," said President Baker of the Philadelphia Nationals when he learned that Seaton had signed with the Federal League. "If he has signed for three years we will take him into court and prove our claims. Seaton as good as signed with us on January 22, when we accepted his terms for a two-year contract."

WICHITA FALLS (Tex.) Feb. 18.—George Stovall, manager of the Kansas City Federal League team, completed today arrangements for training quarters here and announced that a squad of twenty-five would arrive about March 5. Stovall telegraphed the Pittsburgh Federal management urging that the Pittsburgh team be sent here for spring practice to make possible a series of exhibition games.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The New York American League club announced tonight that it had closed a lease of a hotel at Houston, Tex., for the use of the players who will report in that city March 1 for spring training. Several men will leave here February 26, to be joined by others in Cincinnati the following day, in order to arrive at the camp on scheduled time. The players now in Hot Springs will leave there for Texas February 27 in the care of Coach Tom Daly.

Manager Chance will have thirty-five regulars and recruits in line when the training season begins.

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Feb. 18.—"There is absolutely no truth in the report that the Indianapolis Federal League club will be transferred to Toledo," said J. Edward Krause, president of the club, when asked this afternoon regarding the report in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Coach Gleason was the first of the Chicago Americans to arrive. Ray Schalk and Larry Chappelle, the first players, came a few minutes later. Harry Grabiner, secretary of the club, announced that the following players would leave Chicago for the training camp tomorrow night: Berger, Collins, Cicotte, Lord, Schalk, Smith, Lathrop, Cavanaugh, Chappelle, Timmersman, Wolfgang, Quarders, Mayer, Prough, Rogge, Blackburn, Halstels, Schreiber, Roth, Sheen and Trainer Buckner.

Jasper, House, Barbour and Ernie Johnson will join the players at Kansas City, and Bodie, Fournier, Kuhn, Chase, Russell, Walsh and Sullivan will meet them in California.

Small Start.

NINE SILVER DOLLARS STARTED THE ATHLETICS.

NINE silver dollars started the Athletic baseball club of Philadelphia. Nine dollars in real money, a set of old uniforms, and nine pairs of stockings—not entirely whole—was all the capital that "Zack" Phillips, Sharig and Mason had when they formed what is now the most famous baseball organization in the world.

The rent of their grounds, Oakdale Park, cost them $3 a day. For three weeks the trio hustled for all they were worth, scared up crowds that were sometimes as big as 300, and at the end of that time found that they had gained $2 apiece for their twenty-one days of labor.

It was a case of give up or do something desperate. They decided to make or break and guaranteed the Boston club, the big baseball attraction of the days of 1881, $300; or $100 if it should rain. Then they sat back and prayed for fair weather, for there was not a dollar in the treasury to pay in case of rain.

Things broke right. They had a crowd of 5000, of whom 4600 had to stand because the seating capacity of the park was only 400. But all paid and after paying the guarantee and giving the home players 25 per cent. of the gate, the three promoters had enough money to buy lumber for stands.

These home-made affairs were "more strong than handsome," as Phillips remarked after they were completed, but they would seat 2000, and from that time on the success of the club was practically assured.

In less than five years the company cleared $100,000, the pennant winner of 1883 helping a great deal. Their success, while not remarkable by modern standards, was sensational, judged by similar projects of the same time.

BILLY SUNDAY IS FOR NATIONALS.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Feb. 10.—"Give the Federals a wide berth and stick to the Nationals." That was the advice of Rev. William A. Sunday, the evangelist, to Fred Walker, of the Brooklyn Nationals, who called on Sunday. Walker decided to take his advice.

Walker talked religion and baseball with Sunday—a combination that "my friend," Bill, as Walker calls him, is not averse to. He wanted a few points on the game.

"Walker has been flirting with the Federals," said Sunday, discussing Walker's visit to him, "but my advice was to let them alone, and I believe that he will."

Manager Donald of the University of California athletic committee reports a balance of $95,805.38 in the associated student body treasury. Rugby football netted a profit of more than $15,000.

BARROW SAYS NO CHANGE IN CIRCUIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—According to a statement issued today by President Edward Barrow of the International League, there will be no changes in either the circuit or the schedule during the present season. Mr. Barrow said: "I wish to deny reports regarding shifts by clubs representing cities in our circuit. This applies in particular to the Jersey City and Newark clubs, recently referred to as about to be shifted to Brooklyn."

The golf course at Montrose in Ireland, where the game has been played for some 300 years, is being reconstructed according to a plan made by H. S. Colt at a cost of $7500. The last few holes of the old course will be combined with the relief course to make a second 18 holes.

Princeton University has over 1300 students registered in various sports.

Conscience.

PIERCES HEART WITH SCARF PIN.

Noted Tennis Player in a Serious Condition.

Held in Palo Alto City Jail He Stabs Himself.

Fiance of an Oakland Heiress Feared Exposure.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PALO ALTO (Cal.) Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Carl Gardner of San Francisco, noted tennis player, connected with three prominent families of Palo Alto and the fiance of an Oakland heiress, is in a serious condition tonight as a result of a perforation of the lower part of the heart, which he inflicted with a diamond scarf pin while a prisoner in the Palo Alto City Jail.

Chief of Police Chester Nobles refused to make known the man's name at first, on account of the nature of the charge which would have been placed against him and also, to save his family from embarrassment.

Gardner played tennis in San Francisco as a member of the California Lawn Tennis Club and for the past ten years has been rated one of the best ten tennis players on the Pacific Coast. Several years ago he had a position in New York City as editor of American Lawn Tennis, a magazine devoted entirely to the sport.

While he was in New York he participated in all of the important tournaments and during the season of 1913 was ranked No. 10 among the leading tennis players of the United States.

Following his magazine work, he went to Manila, where he won the Philippine tennis championship, after which he returned to San Francisco. For the past two years he has been a resident of this city and has participated in all of the tournaments along the Coast, being rated one of the best of the racquet stars in the West. He has a brother, who is a physician in Watsonville, which was his former home. He was trapped, it is stated, in offenses against grammar school girls, and was placed in the Palo Alto city prison. Here he is said to have confessed. He was left alone about twenty or thirty minutes by Chief Nobles. When the latter returned he discovered that the prisoner had lapsed into unconsciousness. He begged for a pistol, when revived, that he might "finish the job." Dr. Carl G. Wilson of Palo Alto and Dr. Saxon Pope of San Francisco were summoned.

It is stated that the young man had been out of work and that his marriage had been postponed for this reason. He stated that he feared the news would kill his sweetheart and added: "This is one way to end it all." Chief Nobles is of the opinion that the man is mentally deranged.

THINKS GARDNER DERANGED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN JOSE, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. T. H. Stice, head of the hospital to which Carl Gardner was brought, said it would be impossible to allow anybody to see Gardner. He is in a bad mental and physical condition. He was brought to the hospital on a stretcher and is very much emaciated and apparently suffering from a severe nervous breakdown. If blood poison does not result from his wound he will recover. He realizes the enormity of his offenses at Palo Alto, and is unable to explain them.

Try It Again.

OLD PLAYERS COMING BACK.

MANY RE-ENTER THE MAJORS THIS YEAR.

Successful "Come-Backs" of Pitchers Falkenberg and McQuillin Last Year Results in Rush of Old-Timers Back to the Big Leagues. Koestner to Pitch for Cubs.

Just because a baseball player has the N.G. sign pushed upon him and is turned back to the minors it does not mean that he has no chance to become one of the top-notchers in the grand old pastime. Just to the contrary. The sudden descent into a smaller league, where the semi-monthly check will not buy as many autos as that received in the majors, often inspires the youngster to correct faults that were responsible for his departure from select company.

Big league scouts pay strict attention to the tin can brigade, particularly those who had previously shown promise, but who lacked that something which goes to make a real big leaguer. If the failure manifests a desire to overcome his faults, he is given another chance at the top.

Thus it is that the session of 1914 will witness the endeavor of a score or more of ambitious ball tossers to make good in the company where once they failed. The crop is larger than usual, the successful "comebacks" of Pitchers Falkenberg and McQuillin being responsible to a great degree. Prior to a year ago the big league managers were not so keen to add to their rosters players who had been marked as has-beens or never-wuzzers.

JENNINGS GIVES CHANCES.

Hughey Jennings leads all his rivals in the exploitation of comebacks. Chief among them is Harry Coveleskie, the southpaw who acquired national renown in 1908 by pitching and winning three games from the New York Giants in five days. The title of "Giant Killer" was then voted him, but Cove has failed to live up to his reputation. He was of no account to the Phillies the following spring and went to the minors. Cincinnati took him up two years ago and again he failed. Back to the Southern League he went. He is a phenom in that company, and Hughey Jennings believes he can be the same in the American League.

Also from the Southern League comes Pitcher Cavet. Cavet has been twice tried out by Jennings, but neither time did he show. A third come-back hurler is Mains, once given a trial by Boston. An infield veteran who served in the big leagues several years is Billy Purtell, while Demmitt, once of the Yankees, will try for Veach's job in left field.

CHANCE GETS SHARE.

Frank Chance will have his share of come-backs, the most famous of whom is Dode Criss, the wonderful pinch hitter. Criss was a poor pitcher when with the Browns and a worse fielder, but as long as he could hit the Browns kept him. Then he lost his batting eye and to the bush leagues he went. Last year he learned to pitch more effectively and also regained his batting prowess. Incidentally, Criss is one of the numerous individuals who helped knock Cleveland out of the pennant in 1908. It was in the deciding game at St. Louis on October 5. With two on and two out, Criss leaned against one of Liebhardt's spitters and drove it to the left-field corner for three bases, giving the Browns victory.

Outfielder Gilhooly is another comeback. The Cardinals had him two years ago, but Bresnahan sold him for $500, about $7000 less than New York paid for him.

"Lena" Blackburne and Catcher Mayer are White Sox come-backs. Blackburne failed before because of undue press-agenting followed by injuries. Now he will battle with Berger for the second-sacking job. The Cubs will have a few former American leaguers in Pitcher Koestner and Herman Bronkie, both ex-Napa.

CONNIE MACK NEVER SIGNS.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 5.—Connie Mack hasn't signed his contract for 1914, and, moreover, he is not going to!

When this news goes the rounds, it is expected that a bale of offers will pour into the Tioga banker's office from Federal League clubs.

But keep away from the poison bottle, friend fans, for Connie will be with us just the same.

It was just the other day that the tall tutor let out the secret that he never signs contracts. At no time since the start of the Athletics here in 1901 has the winner of baseball trophies ever put his signature to a managerial document.

At no time did he ever have a piece of paper to prove in a court of law that he was entitled to a fortnightly check. Mack has a gentlemen's agreement with his associates, and all have acted like gentlemen.

Up to a year ago Mack owned one-fourth of the stock in the club, but since then he has increased his holdings, so that now he is half owner. Mack, as manager of his club, owns more stock than nine-tenths of the club presidents actually control in the club they represent.

There are numerous stockholders and a big list of directors in most fastest clubs, but the Athletics are an exception. There are only two stockholders, Benjamin F. Shibe and Connie Mack. Each owns a half.

Secrets of the club are really secrets. They never get out. Nobody knows what added salary Mr. Mack gets for directing the monarchs of baseball. Of course, it is a whopper, but anybody naming figures is simply guessing.

From the very first, in 1901, Mack has been a manager with sweeping authority. Ever since 1901, to the present day, the tall tutor has picked his players, named salaries, made trades and purchases, arranged the training trip, and has had complete and unquestioned authority in everything respecting the relationship of club and player.

Many duties that generally are shared by other officers of the club are gladly assumed by Mack. But Mack is surrounded by a competent cabinet. President Benjamin F. Shibe does not want to be actively involved in the game, but he is by no means a silent partner, and Mack has profited by his chief's wisdom and experience.

ECONOMY CYCLECAR.

Economy cyclecars are to be manufactured at Providence, R. I., by the International Cyclecar Company, organized by Charles A. Trask, designer, and Fred K. Parke, late manager of the Universal Motor Truck Company.

Realizing the necessity for a car capable of transporting one or two passengers without the expense attendant upon propulsion of a venicle of great weight, the little 475-pound cyclecar was evolved by the projectors, who have tested the machine in more than 5000 miles of work. Deliveries are promised in April.

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HIGH TIME FOR AN AIR NAVY

Editorial

By Hon. Joseph Daniels, Secretary of Navy

The prediction of military experts that the next great war will be fought at least partially in the air, makes aviation a matter of great importance in connection with the military service of the United States. A comparison of figures of the war strength of the nations of the world shows the United States, which was the birthplace of aviation—the home of the Wrights—to be almost at the foot of the table. Secretary Daniels strongly advocates our leading and not following in the utilization of our own device and urges that steps be taken to train a sufficient and efficient air service able to cope with the best air fleets of the world.

A GAME OF WITS

By Robert Barr

Illustrations by J. N. Marchand

We are confident everyone will enjoy this Strand story. Our English nobleman in America suddenly finds himself "up against it," but as usual, he proves himself master of the situation and the way he goes and does it makes the story a thriller in fiction. It is told in Robert Barr's best style and is cleverly illustrated by Marchand.

CONFESSIONS OF A WASHINGTON LOBBYIST

Making My First $6500 Fee

The article is a startling one—a fearless and full expose of the operations of Washington Lobbyists. Have you ever wondered why and how a certain bill was passed? Do you know of the intrigues of the big and petty graft that are frequently resorted to in order to have a bill passed? The facts are here—clearly and fascinatingly told.

A LIFE

Poem by Charles Buxton Going

A vigorous bit of verse, beautifully illustrated

THE MATE CALL

Poem by Rena Cary Sheffield

Dainty and charmingly sentimental—the cry of one soul to another.

OPERA BARS AND BARRIERS

Article

By Mary Garden

Whatever this gifted Prima Donna has to say on the subject of music is bound to be interesting and helpful, and that is true of this article.

THAT CORNER DRUG STORE

An exceedingly amusing take-off. If it is not exactly founded on facts, it comes very close to it as every man, woman and child will appreciate. It is illustrated by R. G. Vosburgh.

HUMOROUS CARTOONS, entitled

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are by Frank Verbeck.

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The Eternal Boy and The Eternal Ground-Hog

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COOKING CLASS ON SATURDAY.

Stuffing a Leg of Lamb Will Be Demonstration at "Times" School.

Because of the rainy weather The Times School of Domestic Science, which is held Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, under the direction of Mrs. Bertha Haffner-Ginger, will be adjourned from today until Saturday. There will be no instruction today. On Saturday housewives will be taught the proper manner of cooking and serving a leg of lamb, and Mrs. Haffner-Ginger will also demonstrate how cheaper cuts of meat should be prepared. Many ladies from outlying districts are taking advantage of the school.

The model kitchen which has been fitted up for the cooking class comes in for a share of attention. Its blue and white range and white refrigerator show how attractive a bit of white paint can make a kitchen.

Another attractive feature of the cooking school is Miss "Paprika" Haffner, who assists her mother, Mrs. Haffner-Ginger, in the demonstrations. Miss Haffner has been a student of domestic science for a number of years and is the proud possessor of two diplomas as evidence of her mastery of this study. Clad in most becoming pink aprons, with short sleeves which disclose her shapely arms, she adds much to the pleasing picture which greets The Times domestic science students when the blue curtains that hide the platform are drawn back.

The lesson Saturday (set ahead from today) will begin promptly at 2 o'clock, as there are many things to be learned in this lesson. The lectures and demonstration are free to all who wish to attend.

WEALTHY RANCHMAN LOST.

Leaves San Diego for Pasadena But Fails to Show Up and Wife Seeks Police Aid.

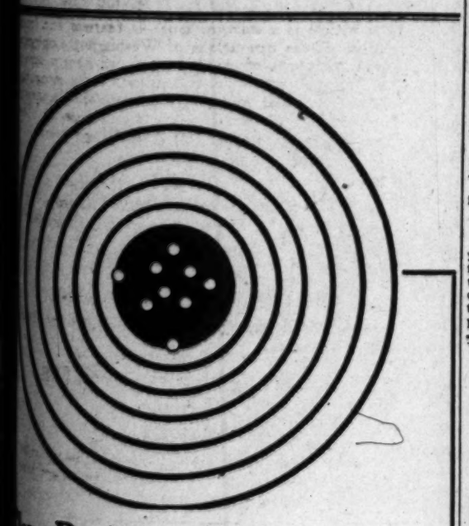
Fred Hauck, 54 years old, a wealthy German rancher of Ramona, near San Diego, is lost somewhere between his home and Pasadena, where his wife is visiting his uncle, F. B. Hauch, of No. 103 North Madison avenue, whom he was to have joined last Saturday. The case has been reported to the police.

The missing man's uncle, aged 84, is a wealthy retired clothing man of St. Louis, who has been living in Pasadena several years. Hauck's wife came to Pasadena from the Ramona ranch about three weeks ago and her husband was to have joined her there for a winter visit.

He left his ranch last Thursday, going to the Hotel Brewster at San Diego. When he failed to arrive at Pasadena on Sunday his wife wired the hotel, receiving a reply that he would leave on Monday. On that day the hotel sent another wire, saying he had left, "well and happy."

Again, when he failed to arrive here Tuesday, the wife sent a telegram to a neighboring rancher at Ramona, who answered by saying Hauck had not returned there.

Hauck has been in the habit of carrying considerable money, and his relatives here fear possible foul play. It is not known that he had any enemies.



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Standard Recovered.

BATTLE FLAG RESTORED.

EMBLEM LOST ON THE FIELD OF CALOOCAN RETURNED.

The Official Insignia of His Command Returned to Gen. Otis—One of His Former Soldiers, After Carrying the Flag Fifteen Years, Presents It to Former Commander.

Lost (though not lost to the enemy) on a foreign battlefield fifteen years ago, an old brigade flag "came home" yesterday when it was presented with simple ceremony to Gen. Harrison Gray Otis at the Bivouac.

The flag, emblem of the First Brigade, Second Division, Eighth Army Corps, was lost on the battlefield of Caloocan, in Luzon, February 10, 1899. Gen. Otis, who was in command of the brigade, had entrusted the gonfalon to a flag-bearer and in the advance upon the enemy it was temporarily lost.

Behind the advancing brigade H. M. Wegener, now of No. 1326 Albany street (a member of City Auditor Meyers's force) and then attached to the First Montana Regiment, was assisting the Hospital Corps in the care of the wounded. Wegener saw the brigade flag on the ground, caught it up and took possession of it. He has carried the emblem ever since.

The flag was a duplicate of the official emblem carried with the brigade, Gen. Otis having two flags for just such an emergency. The lost flag made its companion standard do full duty throughout the campaign and today, as it hangs in the den at "The Bivouac" it is tattered and worn, weather-stained and bearing evidences of a hard campaign.

Gen. Otis was much concerned over the loss of the flag and for years believed it had been stolen as a valuable relic of the Philippine campaign. Wegener exhibited the trophy in many parts of the country and when the opportunity came he honorably restored the historic emblem to its rightful and grateful possessor, out of whose hands it had been for so many years.

At the presentation of the flag by Wegener to Gen. Otis yesterday there was an interested gathering of soldier friends and brilliant women, and the scene was enlivened by music, song, conversation and egnog. There was many an exchange of experiences when the history of the flag was traced from the day it was lost until the day it came back to remain beside its companion. The double circle emblematic of the Eighth Army Corps is formed differently on the two flags, the one showing the outlines of the two circles, like a figure eight, and the other showing the lines of the linked circles, the official design of the corps.

NOTHING "EXTRA."

Oxpress "Newsboys" Yell It in Efforts to Sell and Many Complain. They're Arrested.

Four "newsboys" ranging in ages from 18 years to 23 years, loudly shouting "extra" in efforts to sell to the regular little 6 o'clock edition of the Oxpress, were arrested by Patrolman Watt at Ninth street and Vermont avenue at 10 o'clock last night. They were placed in the City Jail on charges of disturbing the peace.

Residents in the neighborhood came out on their porches in night dresses to see what the "extra" was about, and get a real newspaper. Purchasing copies they found nothing worth while in it. Compiaints were telephoned to the Central Station and Patrolman Watts was instructed over the telephone to arrest them. He did. Complaints from that vicinity and elsewhere about the city have been frequent.

The men arrested are John Capilce, 23; George Williams, 18; George Jochims, 19, and John Jones, 21.

The bail was fixed at $10 each, but it wasn't forthcoming.

COSTLY LETTER-WRITING.

In the United States District Court yesterday Judge Wellborn levied a fine of $50 on Harvey C. Dewar, on the latter's plea of guilty to the charge of sending an improper letter through the mails. The money was paid.

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Dr. T. FELIX GOURAUD'S
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Removes Tan, Pimples, Freckles, Moth Patches, Rash and Skin Diseases, and every blemish on beauty, and defies detection. It has stood the test of 50 years, and is so harmless we taste it to be sure it is properly made. Accept no counterfeit of similar name. Dr. L. A. Sayre said to a lady of the haut-ton (a patient): "As you ladies will use them, I recommend 'Gouraud's Cream' as the least harmful of all the skin preparations." For sale by all Druggists and Department stores.
Ferd. T. Hopkins & Son, Props., 37 Great Jones St., N.Y.C.

Drama.

(Continued from Sixth Page.)

new bill, and Charles King and Virginia Thornton and company will present "When Love Is Young."

Of course the Light Opera Four will be a strong bidder for first place, offering new selections, and the seventh big act will be Deave's Manikins, a great act for the kids. It has just completed a successful tour of the world, a fact which gives one some idea of its real worth as an entertaining feature. Three reels of motion pictures complete the bill.

Republic.

The coming of Florence Stone in a tabloid version of her greatest success, "The Holy City," will be the feature of next week's bill at the Republic, while the feature of this week's show is the capacity business being done by the little drama of Frisco night life, "A Romance of the Barbary Coast." Intensely human, and abounding in pathos, it touches the heart strings of the audience in a manner seldom accomplished by the many underworld playlets which have been visiting Los Angeles.

Daily rehearsals are being held for the abbreviated "Holy City" production under the direction of Sedley Brown, who staged the three-act production at the Auditorium several years ago, when it ran for seven weeks, and a finished production seems assured. Special scenery is being painted, Miss Stone is having an entire new wardrobe created, and the entire house is being renovated and repainted in anticipation of the visit of so distinguished a dramatic star. Twenty persons will take part. All the big gripping scenes of the three-act production are retained in the playlet. Six other vaudeville acts of note will be on the new bill, opening next Monday afternoon.

Miller's.

"The Blighted Son," now running at Miller's Theater, on Main street, between Eighth and Ninth, is proving one of the spectacular hits of the week in motion picturedom. With its scenes laid in Paris, the Mediterranean and Africa, it is an engrossing travelogue as well as thrilling picture story, and has that Frenchy flavor which is so characteristic of the fascinating novels that come from that vivacious country.

Yet fully as interesting as the pictures is the music which accompanies them. Not mere music, though, but a faithful reproduction of sound for every act noted on the screen. Miller's is making a big feature of this sound interpretation of their film stories, with the result that the value of the films has been enhanced a hundredfold.

Woodley Theater.

A film sensation of such proportions as makes its introduction to Los Angeles a red-letter event in the moving-picture realm will go on display today at Woodley's Theater, on Broadway, opposite the Majestic Theater.

It is the great production of Victor Hugo's masterpiece, "Ruy Blas," conceded by the majority of literateurs and dramatitsts to be the most engrossing of the famous Frenchman's stories.

It is one of the few dramas which has survived in France, and is still played at the National Theater there, and in the film production is said to be far superior to the spoken play.

The scenes are laid in Madrid near the close of the seventeenth century, a picturesque and exciting period. How Ruy Blas, as lackey to an unscrupulous courtier, is palmed off on the queen as a great explorer, wins her love and high honors, only to be stripped of all by his master, is thrilling indeed.

Blas slays the man who proves his undoing, but the queen refuses to forgive him, and he makes away with his own life. She relents just before the poet passes away and he dies happy, content with the knowledge of love and forgiveness.

Wonderful music has been arranged to go with this masterpiece of drama and filmdom, and it will doubtless prove a capacity-drawing feature at Woodley's the rest of the week.

Clune's.

"A Colonel in Chains," the fifth installment of the sensational Selig wild-animal picture, "The Adventures of Kathlyn," will be shown in two reels at Clune's Broadway next week with a big new bill. It will appear on the screen Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday only.

The beauteous Kathlyn, incarcerated with her father, Col. Hare, sees little hope in prospect for escaping from the tightening coil of the snake-like, villainous Umballah, who has sworn vengeance, smarting under the bold blows of the gallant American and retreated to rally his minions for the public flogging of the colonel and the degredation of his daughter. Suddenly the talk of the father and daughter is interrupted by a noise at the close-barred window of their cell, and the friendly elephant that has aided her escape applies his great strength to a chain, pulling away the bars and part of the masonry, allowing the heroine to escape."

CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING.

Gregorio Guzman is being tried in the United States District Court before Judge Wellborn and a jury, charged with bringing four contraband Chinese into the country from Mexico. Guzman is well-known to the immigration authorities. Just before his arrest last July he had completed a sentence of one year in San Quentin, on the charge of making a deadly assault upon Immigration Inspector Chadney, below San Diego.

The Home Beauty Parlor
by Betty Dean

June: The "French complexion fad" you inquire about is probably the craze for liquid powders. They are thought to be more wholesome for the skin, as well as more beautifying and less likely to show, than ordinary powder. The following preparation can be made at home from ingredients to be purchased from any druggist. Get 4 ounces spurmax from your druggist, dissolve in one-half pint hot water and add two teaspoons glycerine. It is splendid in effect, looks very natural and clings as if it belonged to your skin.

Lilly: You will find shampooing with a teaspoonful canthrox dissolved in a cup hot water is a quick and pleasing way to free the scalp of dust, dandruff and excess oil. This is a cleanser and invigorator most appreciated by one whose scalp is either dry, scaly and itchy or profusely oily. Its use restored healthful vigor to my scalp and induced the hair to come in plentifully, with a gloss, and greatly enriched color.

Bess: The best blood-cleanser I know is kardene because it acts on the liver and kidneys and if, as you say, you are troubled with severe and constant headaches, it is an indication that your kidneys and blood need attention. To prepare, put one ounce kardene (from the drug store) into one-half pint alcohol (whisky should not be used) then add one-half cupful sugar and hot water to make a full quart. A tablespoonful before meals is the dose. This kardene tonic gently expels poisonous waste from the body and tones up the internal organs so they can do their work. You will find this tonic good for lost appetite, failing strength, and to clear up the complexion.

Lorelei: Even the woman of middle age nowadays is determined to keep her flesh down and who can blame her, now that present styles demand slimness? I always recommended parnotis (which I mix up at home) as the safest, cheapest and best flesh-reducer. Get four ounces parnotis at druggist's and dissolve in one and one-half pints hot water. Cool, strain, and take a tablespoonful before each meal. Dieting or exercise is not necessary with this.

Mrs. S.: My own experiance with wrinkles was three years ago when I removed them with a very simple, inexpensive preparation which I made by mixing an ounce of almozoin (from my druggist's) in one-half pint cold water and adding two teaspoonfuls glycerine. This, by contracting the skin slowly, restores healthy firmness and keeps the surface circulation of the blood so good that a perfectly natural glow develops in the cheeks. I have used it ever since.

Madge: No, you need not have lots of money in order to give your hair and scalp perfect care. I often recommend many made-at-home items which are even better than high-priced patents. As a hair tonic I get an ounce of quinzoin at the druggist's, dissolve it in one-half pint of alcohol and add one-half pint of water. Rub a little at a time well into the scalp and your dandruff will disappear and you will keep your scalp healthy.

Exie: I brighten my eyes and rest them when tired by putting a few drops of crystos solution into each and bathing the lids with the same. I make the tonic by getting an ounce of crystos from the drug store and dissolving it in a pint of clear water. It will not smart and is soothing and healing. It is the safest way of making the eyes sparkling and expressive.

Betty Dean's Beauty Book, 15. (Adv.)

BISHOP COMMENDS PLAN.

Catholic Colonization Society, with Bureaus in Large Eastern Cities, Holds Two-Day Session Here.

All parts of the State were represented at the two-day session of the Catholic Colonization Society, which was brought to a close Tuesday. Managers of the Catholic Home Seekers' Bureau, representing a number of cities and communities, reported growth and progress. Monsignor Bummelen, founder of the organization, conducted the meeting, stating the purpose of the movement to furnish reliable information in the work of colonizing California.

Bishop Conaty welcomed the managers and spoke in favor of the work, pointing out the desirability of informing the prospective settler what to expect and what capital would be required.

Announcement was made of the formation of central information bureaus in the large eastern cities.

James Griffith of Sacramento, F. G. Vivian of King City, A. C. Jansing of Los Angeles and F. A. Sagstetter of Lanare were appointed to appriae Bishop Conaty of the outcome of the bureau's deliberations. Bishop Conaty commended the conservative character of the plans outlined and felicitated the bureau upon its wisdom in the selection of branch managers that assured absolute honesty and fairness in the treatment of all settlers located by them.

Among the prominent delegates present were: F. G. Vivian of King City, James Griffith of Sacramento, F. A. Sagstetter of Lanare, B. Rosenki of Lancaster, M. Hugo of National City, M. M. Clark of Burbank and J. Mulhall of Lankershim.

PACE FIERCE CAMPAIGN.

Good-sized Crowd Gathers at Redondo Beach Hotel and Hears the Promises of Various Aspirants.

REDONDO BEACH, Feb. 18.—A political meeting called by H. Brolaski Monday evening at Hotel Redondo fired the first shot in the coming municipal campaign, with the following men on the ticket: Trustees, H. Brolaski and E. H. Miller; for Treasurer, Fred Bruce, Jr. The selection for Clerk was left open until another meeting.

At 8 o'clock, the time called for the meeting, the crowd was rather slim, but an hour later the large dining-hall was comfortably filled.

The Los Angeles Ad Club Quartette was in attendance and rendered choice selections between times. Brolaski's call to the people was: "I will furnish the coffins, you bring the nails and we will bury the old gang forever." Judge L. F. Wells was appointed as chairman and it was decided to call the meeting the "Boosters' Club." Speeches were made by Brolaski, Senator Craig, E. H. Miller, J. W. Kassler, James Ferguson, A. Protsch, C. Hoansler, James Roach and others.

The coming campaign promises to be one of the hottest in the history of the town, and although only two Trustees are to be elected, the indications are that there will be a large number of candidates in the field, notwithstanding the fact that the holdover Trustees will have the balance of power. Among those mentioned who aspire for Trustees are Dr. A. T. Hembree, William M. Browning, S. D. Barkley, Jack Funk and J. R. Richardson. Mayor Cavanah may also be in the running.

For Treasurer the only candidate aside from Bruce is the present incumbent, George Cate, who has held the position for a number of years. W. A. Anderson so far is the only candidate for Clerk and is conceded a hard man to beat, although Miss Vera Graham, who has been assistant in both the Clerk and Treasurer's office, has a large number of boosters and may accept the nomination.

COUNTESS WEDS.

A marriage of note occurred here today when Maj. Thomas Burke and Countess Von Rockabrandt were united in matrimony at the parsonage of the Redondo Congregational Church by Rev. W. P. Hardy. Mrs. Burke was the wife of the late Count Von Rockabrandt, who was a resident of Redondo Beach for a number of years.

It is claimed that the late Count was heir to many thousands of dollars in the old country, but owing to political differences when a young man, became a refugee and the property to which he was heir was confiscated. He was in the shoe business here and later lived in Lancaster. His health failing, he returned to Redondo Beach, where he passed away about a year ago. All efforts to get the property for the widow have been up to this time unavailing, the aristocratic relatives of the Count preventing the same.

The groom is 72 years of age and a veteran of the Civil and Indian war and has been decorated for bravery by Congress.

HIGHWAY BONDS SOLD.

Riverside County's Big Issue Is Taken at Par by Combination of Bidders.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Riverside county's highway bonds were sold today to a combination of bidders for a premium of $37,227.50. The successful bidders for the $1,125,000 issue were represented by E. S. Moulton, president of the First National Bank of the city, and included N. W. Halsey & Co., of San Francisco, the Continental Trust Company of Chicago, and E. H. Rollins & Son of San Francisco. The bids were par and accrued interest. The prompt sale means the early commencement of work on the highway system.

THE HEAVENS WEPT.

Progressives who braved the stormy night by repairing to the operahouse were disappointed in Gov. Johnson's failure to reach Riverside because of washouts on the Salt Lake road between Pico and Newmark. Chairman Avey announced the meeting for next Saturday evening, if agreeable to the Governor.

WATTS NOTES.

WATTS, Feb. 18.—A daily newspaper made its appearance in this city yesterday. It is called the Daily Advertiser, and P. F. Adelsbach is editor and owner.

City Trustees are asking for prices on acacia trees in order that all the parkways in the city may be ornamented by planting trees of this variety. The plan is to have the tree planting uniform all over the city. If the trees can be purchased at a reasonable price this improvement will be commenced at once.

The political campaign in Watts is on, the "dry" having nominated their ticket as follows: For Trustees, long term, Charles H. Dodd and David Elcoat (incumbents,) and A. F. Garland; for the short-term City Trustee, R. D. Crawford; for City Clerk, J. T. Alexander, and for City Treasurer, Miss Sarah A. Smith, also incumbents. For school trustee, W. F. Schubert has been nominated. The school election will be held April 3, and the municipal election April 13.

Bright Skies.

HARMONY RULES OVER FACTIONS.

DAUGHTERS OF REVOLUTION MEET WITH SMILING FACES.

Tomorrow's Election Raises Only Doubts of Amicable Sessions and So Far the Coast Is Clear—Northern Delegates Come for Love Feast and Southerners Seem Willing.

The dove of peace, so white and unruffled that it was positively suspicious, hovered over the reception held in the ballroom at the Hotel Alexandria yesterday afternoon by the members of the State organization of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The reception and tea was given by the southern chapters in honor of the delegates from the northern part of the State.

If the gathering yesterday is to be taken as a criterion of the meetings to be held today and tomorrow then will those who have worked to bring the northern and southern chapters into a spirit of harmony have cause to rejoice.

The sweeping rainstorm that tied up the city's traffic for hours prevented many from attending the reception, and of the 245 reservations only sixty members and guests were present at the delightful tea which was served in the main dining-room at the Alexandria, but the numerous small tables and exquisite service made the affair a cosy one.

Apparently the coming meeting is to be a most peaceful one, although until the election has been held, Friday, this is not assured. There was some little talk yesterday of a possible second candidate for the position of State Regent, but by most of the members present this was believed to be an unfounded rumor. The nominations are to be made from the floor and only those present can vote on the nominations. From the present indication Mrs. Thayer, the present Vice-Regent, will succeed Mrs. I. N. Chapman of Alameda, who has served the two years allotted to each State officer.

Mrs. J. C. Lynch, the present Auditor for the northern chapters, has been nominated for Vice-Regent. The offices of Recording Secretary, Treasurer, Historian, Chaplain, Northern Auditor and Southern Auditor are also to be filled. Those in touch with the situation believe the offices will be divided equally between each section of the State.

"We came down for a regular love feast," stated Mrs. R. K. Wilkins of Sequoia Chapter of San Francisco, "and the storm outside will not be allowed to intrude into our meetings. Several years ago Sequoia Chapter was quite belligerent, but now all that has been changed. The visit the southern delegates made to our city last year smoothed away many of the rough places in the State work. The southern sisters saw many things in a different light after this meeting and we of the northern section gained much by their visit."

Today the annual conference of the State organization will be called to order by Mrs. Maynard Force Thayer of Pasadena, Vice-Regent of the State D.A.R., who has been nominated for Regent. The Committee on Credentials, which was to have met yesterday, will meet prior to the opening of the conference, and it is expected that the report of this committee will be ready before the noon recess.

A delightful programme has been arranged for the morning session, after which the conference will take up the work of the coming year. Luncheon will be served at the Lankershim at 12:30.

AMUNDSEN Ar CHINAMAN.

Noted Explorer Who Has Been Accredited a Britisher for Years Is Claimed by the Celestial Empire.

COLTON, Feb. 18.—That he carried in his arms on board ship from a port in China the noted arctic and antarctic explorer, Capt. Amundsen when that personage was but six days old, is the proud statement made by Lars Hansen, who is visiting in Colton with his daughter, Mrs. M. J. Farrell, and whose experiences as a sailor would fill many volumes if written down.

Hansen, who is now a well-to-do farmer of Pendleton, Or., tells in unique fashion how he left home in Norway when a lad of 14, there being twenty other children in the family beside himself, and sailed the high seas with the father of Capt. Amundsen. With the doughty old ship captain, who is described as a giant in stature, Hansen visited nearly every port in the world. On the long voyages Amundsen took his wife with him and it was while cruising in Chinese waters and waiting to take on cargo that it was necessary for the captain to secure a home on shore under the Danish flag, and here the future explorer was born. When the babe was six days old Mrs. Amundsen came on board and Hansen, detailed to help her, carried the child in his arms on deck. Thus it is that Amundsen is in reality a native of China.

Among other experiences of the youth of Hansen was helping to lay the cables in the West Indies and also in the British possessions at Gibraltar, while he also had a part in building the first telegraph lines overland in Smyrna and to Jerusalem.

SHOT IN SELF-DEFENSE.

Coroner's Jury at Venice Virtually Exonerates Chinese Who Slew an American—Short News Stories.

VENICE, Feb. 18.—A Coroner's jury virtually exonerated Jung Sing, who slew Robert Hempel Thursday last, by returning a verdict yesterday that the deceased came to his death as the result of a gunshot wound, the shot being fired in self-defense."

The inquest followed the autopsy at the C. A. Kirkelie undertaking parlors. The autopsy was merely a formal procedure to show officially the cause of death. But the Chinese, who is slowly recovering from blows administered by the deceased, is not free to leave the hospital until his case is disposed of by the District Attorney.

Justice Rennie issued a complaint charging the Chinese with murder and it is possible that a preliminary examination will be held. That matter depends upon the view of the case taken by Deputy District-Attorney Richardson, who looks after cases in the county outside of Los Angeles.

The shooting occurred at the H. Michael dairy ranch, about two miles east of this city. All the evidence so far gathered tends to show that the deceased baited Jung Sing and on the evening in question hit him over the head with a club until the cook rushed to his little shack and secured his revolver. The local police officers believe he shot in self-defense. The Chinese will not be able to leave the hospital for about a week, when he may be arraigned on the complaint charging murder.

STATE BUILDING PLANS.

Meeting Called for Next Wednesday to Consider Invoking the Initiative Measure.

A call was issued yesterday by the Los Angeles Realty Board for a meeting of representative organizations on the 25th inst. for the further consideration of plans to invoke the initiative measure to provide a State building for this city at a cost of $1,000,000. The Automobile Club of Southern California, Associated Banks of Los Angeles, Associated Jobbers, Chamber of Commerce, Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, Ebell Club, Federated Improvement Association, and Bar Associations are among the organizations invited to have representatives at the meeting.

Though the storm prevented the consummation of plans made by the Board for an emphatic assertion by various interests of the desire for the housing of State departments under one roof in this city, it did not deter from emphatic action. The plan is to secure $5000 by popular subscription to make possible the securing of 35,000 names to a petition to have a proposition for a $1,000,000 bond issue placed on the ballot of the November election.

Shocking!

STRIP PAJAMAS FROM OFFICER.

MOTION PICTURE ACTRESSES FIGURE IN FRACAS.

Entertaining Gentlemen Friends with Liquid Refreshments When Revel Reaches Limit and Next Scene Is Laid in the Police Station.

Detective Robert McMahan of the Central Police Station is going to change his address: James J. Gormley, 22 years of age, is in the City Jail without bail; the rooms of Miss Helen Taft, a motion picture actress, in her apartments, at No. 722 South Bonnie Brae street, are wrecked, and several attached and unattached young men are quaking in their boots for fear of possible consequences, as a result of a pretty little row shortly after 9 o'clock last night.

McMahan is in charge of the detective bureau at Central Station after 11 o'clock at night. In consequence he sleeps in the afternoon and evening.

He was awakened at 9 o'clock by noisy revels in the apartments of Miss Vergie Dorr, which adjoin his own and are across the hall from those of Miss Taft.

He rose, went out into the hall in his pajamas, knocked on the Dorr apartment, and, when the door was opened, saw a table set for nine, with seven young men and the two actresses seated. There was much liquid refreshment on the table—and elsewhere.

Three of the men jumped out on McMahan, tearing the pajamas off him and leaving him in the hall, very nude, but still fighting.

McMahan called to his wife to bring his pistol, which she did, and the detective, chasing his assailants down the hall, accidentally discharged the weapon, the bullet going into the floor, however, and damaging no one.

McMahan succeeded in getting hold of Gormley, whom he took to the Central Police Station and booked for disturbing the peace.

BATH-HOUSE PLAN.

Long Beach Business Men Join in Promotion of Pier and Amusement Proposition—News Briefs.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 18.—E. A. Eastman, R. M. Moore, J. V. Bartow, Thomas F. Rice and others have joined in a project to build a modern bath-house at the foot of American avenue, at a cost of $150,000. The bath-house is to adjoin the pier for which Eastman was granted a franchise to run thirty-five years, December 23.

More than $40,000 has been subscribed towards the money necessary to begin work, and the prospect is good for a beginning of the work before spring.

It is supposed that the existing bath-house company will claim that the lots between Pine and American avenues on the front were sold with a proviso that no bath-house be built thereon, and will claim that the franchise must carry a like proviso.

BID FOR BONDS.

Chairman H. S. Callahan of the Finance Committee of the City Council this afternoon held a conference with B. R. Ells, agent for the City National Bank of Chicago, at the conclusion of which Ells was given a seven-day option on $325,000 of the city bonds, all that are now printed. Ells stated that all he needed was a confirmatory wire from his house to take the bonds, paying par and accrued interest. Ells stated that his house would take the $50,000 Devil's Gate pier bonds immediately, and would take up the others within a short period. Ells stated that the City National Bank of Chicago sent him to the Pacific Coast with instruction to place $4,000,000 in bond investments.

The City Council was "stumped" for a few minutes last night when the resolution fixing the compensation of the Citizens' Relief Committee on account of the Empire Day disaster was returned to them with the veto of Mayor Wheaton. The resolution, which was adopted last week, fixed $150 per month as the limit to be paid the committee. Another resolution making the limit $100 was passed.

POLICE MYSTIFIED.

Venice Officers Find Purse With Cards Bearing the Name of Irene Vanderbilt.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VENICE, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A mystery came to the attention of the police department this morning when a woman's handbag was discovered on the Windward-avenue pier, resting close to the wharf. Within the bag were found professional cards of Irene Vanderbilt, who was with the Horace Goldin Company which played in Los Angeles last week.

Besides containing the usual collection of toilet accessories, there is a gold locket and also a number of little trinkets fastened together by a handsome chain of filigree silver.

The police made a careful search of the hotels and apartment houses to see if a Miss Vanderbilt were registered at any of the places, but nothing was learned concerning the identity of the owner of the bag. While too early to formulate any theory, it is barely possible that a tragedy lies behind the find. However, the police think the owner of the property left it on the pier and did not miss it until after leaving for Los Angeles.

Cities and Towns South of Tehachepi's Top—Los Angeles County News

Pasadena.

SHOT CAUSES GIRL'S DEATH.

Victim of Accident Dies at Pasadena Hospital.

No Charge Is Filed Against Youthful Slayer.

Rain Spoils Social Programmes at Hotels.

PASADENA, Feb. 19.—Rosa Keeley, the 2-year-old daughter of Richard Keeley, No. 134 Hurlbut street, who last Monday was accidentally shot in the head by Arthur Shearer, a 16-year-old boy, who shot at a dog, died at the Pasadena Hospital yesterday afternoon following an operation. The body was taken to the mortuary of Turner and Stevens, where the inquest will be held.

Following the shooting the boy was held at the police station and then allowed tor eturn to his home. No charge has yet been filed against him.

The dead child leaves a twin sister, who was sitting on the curb with her when she was shot.

RAIN SPOILS PARTIES.

Guests at the Hotel Green who had planned to hold a roller-skate tango party in the roof garden last night, when it rained, made arrangements to have the whole affair inside the glass inclosure there and then were disappointed entirely when a man who was to bring 100 pairs of skates from Los Angeles, telephoned that he could not reach the city. The affair was indefinitely postponed.

Instead, an ordinary tango dance was held in the hotel ballroom, though the inclement weather prevented many outsiders from attending.

The storm also greatly diminished the attendance at the mid-week dansant given at the Hotel Huntington last night. The Huntington and Maryland hotels, having tried tango lunches and tango dinners, will today have a tango breakfast.

WOMAN STRUCK BY CAR.

While Walking in Teeth of Gale Carrying Umbrella, Victim Unwittingly Walks Into Danger.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With her vision obscured by the umbrella she was carrying, Mrs. Aseno of No. 1374½ Ocean avenue, this city, was struck by a north-bound car this morning and seriously if not dangerously injured. She was taken to the Receiving Hospital where she was given emergency treatment by Assistant Police Surgeon Wagner, and was later removed to St. Catherine's Hospital. Unless unforeseen complications occur the surgeons believe the woman will recover.

According to Motorman C. B. Gaskill and Conductor F. C. Barnes, Mrs. Aseno crossed Fremont avenue with her umbrella held toward the approaching car. The motorman said he supposed she intended waiting until the car passed, but suddenly she walked in front of him. He was unable to stop his car in time, and the woman was hurled twenty feet from the impact of the car.

NEW TIRE FACTORY.

Machinery Ordered for a Concern Which Will Soon Begin Manufacturing in Anaheim.

ANAHEIM, Feb. 18.—Hall H. Holdaway, president of the Universal Tire Company of Los Angeles, was in Anaheim yesterday relative to the establishment of a factory in this city for the purpose of manufacturing automobile tires. The old Dryfus Winery building, situated south of town, was purchased by the company from Messrs. John Walls and John Cook. This property is ideally suited to the purpose for which it will be used and consists of eight acres of ground improved with a large brick structure. The consideration named was $35,000.

Mr. Holdaway was accompanied by Irving Y. Biglow and Charles Vollmen, secretary and stock salesman, respectively. They stated that an initial shipment of machinery and equipment aggregating $75,000 will be installed on the premises as rapidly as possible, as it is the intention of the company to have the plant in operation not later than June 1. Within a few months the company expects to employ from 200 to 500 men.

This is one of the most gigantic commercial enterprises that has ever come to Orange county. A particularly gratifying feature of the proposition is the fact that it will bring into active service a fine old building that for many years has been one of the noted landmarks of the early wine industry. During the last twenty-five years it has stood as a warehouse, although both Mr. Walls and Cook have been active at all times in trying to interest outside capital in coming to Anaheim and establishing a factory here.

LUMBER BUSINESS GROWING.

Eight Schooners Bearing Nearly Six Million Feet of Material Arrived at San Pedro Tuesday.

SAN PEDRO, Feb. 18.—Eight steam schooners arrived yesterday with nearly 6,000,000 feet of lumber and the lumber yards and wharves were busier than they have been for several months. More lumber carriers are due here this week than any week since the slump in the lumber trade last summer. This is partly due to stormy weather that bunched many vessels at northern ports a few weeks ago and partly to a much better demand for lumber.

Not for more than six months have local yards been receiving such large orders as during the past few days. The Pacific Lumber Company at Wilmington, which handles redwood exclusively, has received orders for 156 cars from eastern points and has chartered three steam schooners to bring the lumber for the mills of the company in at Scotia on Humboldt Bay. The demand for redwood is especially encouraging. The stock of the company at Oakland has been almost cleaned out and for a second time the steamer William H. Murphy, which sailed tonght for Eureka to reload, took a partial cargo from the mill here to Oakland.

A revival of the lumber trade has been promised for several months, but it has just begun to materialize. One reason that the trade did not pick up sooner was the increase in charter rates a few weeks ago. Anticipating a rush of business the Shipowners' Association boosted the rate to $4.50 per 1000 feet from Washington and Oregon ports to Southern California.

This had a temporary effect in holding up orders on the part of buyers to see if the shipowners could maintain the increase. Although there were nearly forty steam schooners tied up in Oakland Creek until recently the shipowners remained steadfast and maintained the rate. The result is that buyers are now placing orders on the basis of the increased charter rate.

Long Beach.

MAN THROWN OVERBOARD.

Picturesque Battle Fought in Long Beach Waters.

Son of Former Police Judge Is Arrested.

Boys Gain Honors in Navy and Army Contest.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 18.—Beth Lawson, son of former Police Judge A. C. Lawson, and Wing Counts were held in $1000 bonds apiece, by Justice Underwood this afternoon for a preliminary hearing February 24, on a charge of assaulting with threats to kill Bert Dickinson, alias "Indian" Dickinson. Frank Paschall, boat captain, was arrested on the charge of interfering with an officer in the same case. The charges are the outcome of a duel, apparently to the death, on board the launch Lucretia, off the harbor jetties last night.

Dickinson, bruised and bleeding from a dozen wounds and almost drowned, was found by S. H. Coward, No. 611 Pacific avenue, on the south end of the east jetty. Before relapsing into unconsciousness, Dickinson managed to inform Coward that he had been assaulted and thrown overboard from a launch. Coward called the police and Dickinson was taken to the Police Hospital, Dr. Taylor being called in attendance. After being partially revived, Dickinson told the police that Beth Lawson and Counts had set upon him and had beaten him while proceeding from Long Beach to San Pedro in the launch, and that they had thrown him overboard.

Counts was arrested, crouching in the bottom of a boat in the harbor. The officers heard that Lawson was aboard the launch owned by Paschall, but as they approached the vessel, Paschall cast off and put on speed for the harbor entrance and towards the sea. The officers pursued in another boat and brought Lawson to shore. Paschall was sought until tonight, when he was arrested also.

Lawson admits striking Dickinson, saying that he called him a hard name, and it was really a duel between them as to who should survive. Counts, Lawson said, took little part in the mix-up. It is probable that Lawson will get bail tomorrow morning.

NEW HOSPITAL PLAN.

A project for the establishment of a large maternity and children's hospital on Signal Hill came to light at the meeting of the City Council tonight. The trustees of the Bethlehem Inn petitioned the Council to set aside a few acres of ground on the hill for the purpose, whereupon the inn would build the hospital and it would be maintained by private subscription. The matter was referred to the Inspection Committee.

MAKES PROTEST.

J. C. Rucker in a communication protested as a citizen and taxpayer against the payment of any salary to Frank Mankin, the street superintendent, who has resigned. Rucker claims that Mankin lives outside the city limits. As Mankin has already withdrawn from the service of the city, the petition was placed on file. It is probable that J. A. Teel will succeed him.

ARMY AND NAVY.

Long Beach boys are the successful candidates for entrance into Annapolis and West Point. A message received here today states that Gerald Counts, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Counts, residing at No. 527 Elm avenue, is first, and Corliss Mosely, No. 1707 East Seventh street, is alternate for entrance into the Naval Academy. Charles Niblake of Los Angeles, was highest in the preliminary examinations, but, now that he is on his way to Annapolis to take the entrance examination, it is found that he does not live in this Congressional district, but resides just over the line in the Tenth District. For Annapolis, Alfred Williams of No. 470 St. Louis avenue, is first, and William Reagon, No. 753 Orange avenue, is alternate. The final examinations begin on Thursday, March 26.

Counts is 18 years of age, is a freshman at the University of California, and was valedictorian at the graduating exercises of the High School last June. Alfred Williams is 17 years of age, and is a student at the local High School. He is the son of Mrs. M. D. Williams.

CLEARINGHOUSE.

A clearinghouse will be established by Long Beach banks, to be in operation about March 1. In the office of P. E. Hatch, president of the National Bank of Long Beach, a meeting was held by the bankers of the city and a committee, composed of Hatch, R. D. Judkins, of the First National Bank, and W. M. Cook of the National, was appointed to select quarters, which will probably be in the National Bank. R. L. Bixby, Chamber of Commerce secretary, was largely instrumental in securing the organization of bankers.

BELL AN ASPIRANT.

According to an announcement made here today, Congressman C. W. Bell of Pasadena, will be a candidate to succeed himself this year. Bell has been aiding the Long Beach Harbor Committee in their effort to secure a harbor appropriation, and, although the prospects for the culmination of their efforts is poor, Bell is making the most of the work he does for Long Beach. He sends letters and dispatches to newspapers and influential citizens here, and otherwise intimates how well he has represented this section in Congress. It is probable that the Republicans will nominate a local man for the job.

NEWS BRIEFS.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Clay, No. 3143 East Anaheim street, had an almost miraculous escape from death under the wheels of a Pacific Electric car. The little one was playing with a toy wagon near the corner of Anaheim and Obispo streets, when the Newport car came speeding along. Motorman John Ross was unable to stop the car in time, and the car passed entirely over the child, the wheels narrowly missing his body. The only injuries he received were a scalp wound and a few bruises.

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson was celebrated by the principals and a number of friends by a luncheon given at the High School at noon today. Johnson has been clerk of the Long Beach school board for eight years. Later a reunion of the Johnson family was held at the home of William B. Johnson of Los Angeles, a son.

There are a few choice rooms left at Hotel del Coronado.—[Advertisement.

LOT FOR SUIT OF CLOTHES.

Los Angeles Tailor Makes a Trade and Soon Finds That He Has Been Too Hasty.

CLAREMONT, Feb. 18.—One of Los Angeles' leading tailors came to Claremont today to inquire as to the value of a lot in "East Claremont." The tailor had sold a suit of clothes valued at $30, but his client not having the ready cash had offered to trade him a lot in Claremont in exchange for the suit of clothes. The tailor, thinking he was making a good investment, closed the bargain and the deed was recorded. Today he came to investigate and found to his sorrow that the lot was not worth $5.

"East Claremont," while within the corporate limits of Claremont, is located at the extreme edge of Los Angeles county. Most of the lots are in the river bed. For years this tract has been used as a city dumping ground. It was platted by speculators in the "boom days" and no local people have ever owned lots in it. Eighty-one lots have been owned by the State for many years. Owners, after investigating, found that they were not worth the taxes. Recently two lots in East Claremont were traded for an ostrich; another was traded for a buggy. Some of the lots are owned the Warden, now residing at the State's expense in San Quentin.

NEWS BRIEFS.

The Claremont orange growers have sent some of their choicest oranges to the National Show at San Bernardino, these oranges being the leading feature of the Pomona Valley exhibit. Friday will be known as Claremont Day at the orange show. The orange growers and citizens of this community go over by special train on that occasion to help boost the show.

A citizens' meeting was held last night in the City Hall to nominate candidates for City Trustees and other officers. E. F. Goff, F. A. Bacon and I. J. Cree were the unanimous choice for the Trustees; Robert Chisholm for City Clerk, and W. N. Beach for Treasurer.

Polo, golf and tennis at Hotel del Coronado all season.—[Advertisement.

DISPUTE IS AVERTED.

Threatened Dispute Between Santa Fe and Santa Monica Has Been Smoothed Over—News Briefs.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 18.—The threatened dispute between the city of Santa Monica and officials of the Pacific Electric Company because of alleged poor local service was averted Monday through arrangements made between the railroad men and Mayor Dudley and the City Council Committee on Transportation.

Mayor Dudley had prepared a message in which he took occasion to criticize the alleged bad service furnished beach residents. The Mayor stated in his message that unless the railroad yielded to the demands of the public that he advocated taking every possible measure to insure adequate service.

Among the officials who came here from Los Angeles were F. N. Annable, E. C. Thomas and William White.

MAYOR'S VIEWS.

Mayor Dudley gave a message to the Council giving his views on the water question. In it he stated that he does not believe in going ahead too rapidly or in incurring too great an indebtedness until it becomes necessary. The Mayor reviewed the report of Engineers Quinton and Cody, which was prepared at the request of the city. Probably nothing will be done at this time unless it is to increase the high-pressure system for fire-protection purposes.

VISITOR PASSES.

Willis Oliver Slater, 45, a visitor in Santa Monica, died this morning at No. 147 Surf street. He leaves a widow, who will return to her home in Marengo, Iowa.

Engage rooms now, either direct with Hotel del Coronado, or with Coronado agency, 334 Spring street.—[Advertisement.

WANTS DOCTOR TO PAY.

Fresno Woman Wants Damages From Physician Because She Was Marked by Smallpox.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FRESNO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because she contracted smallpox, Nellie Waggerly today filed suit for $6000 damages against Dr. T. N. Sample. She demands $5000 damages because of pock marks on her face and the rest of her body, and $1000 damages because her lodging-house was quarantined and she lost much business.

The complaint alleges that the doctor is to blame for not diagnosing correctly the illness of Taylor Briggs, one of the boarders in the lodging-house. Dr. Sample began treating him November 9, and not until November 18 did he declare the case to be smallpox and remove the victim to a hospital, says the plaintiff. Meanwhile Nellie Waggerly had contracted the disease and was taken ill November 29.

Read the storm reports and then decide on Coronado.—[Advertisement.

STANDARD TO BUILD.

WHITTIER, Feb. 17.—Announcement was made today of the award of the contract for the erection of the new office building of the Standard Oil Company to A. C. Davis, a local contractor, for $15,000. Interest in the movements of the Standard here have been keen since the acquirement of a splendid building site for an office building some six weeks ago. That Whittier should be selected for an important office center for the Standard comes logically since the Standard acquired the Murphy lease and since the remarkable development of this section that was ushered in by the bringing in of the Standard well No. 7 on the Emery lease.

Polo, golf and tennis are on at Hotel del Coronado. Join the crowds.—[Advertisement.

Surpassing.

BIGGEST AND BEST ORANGE SHOW OPENS.

Fourth Annual Citrus Exposition at San Bernardino Fascinates and Bewilders by Its Vastness and Artistic Ensemble—Exhibits Are Larger Than in Previous Years—Judges Have Difficult Task.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With 3,000,000 of Southern California's choicest oranges attractively and uniquely displayed and excellently representing the world's greatest agricultural industry, the Fourth National Orange Show opened here tonight in a blaze of golden glory and with an enthusiasm born of bumper crops and stimulated by eloquent and optimistic addresses by the State's leading citrus growers.

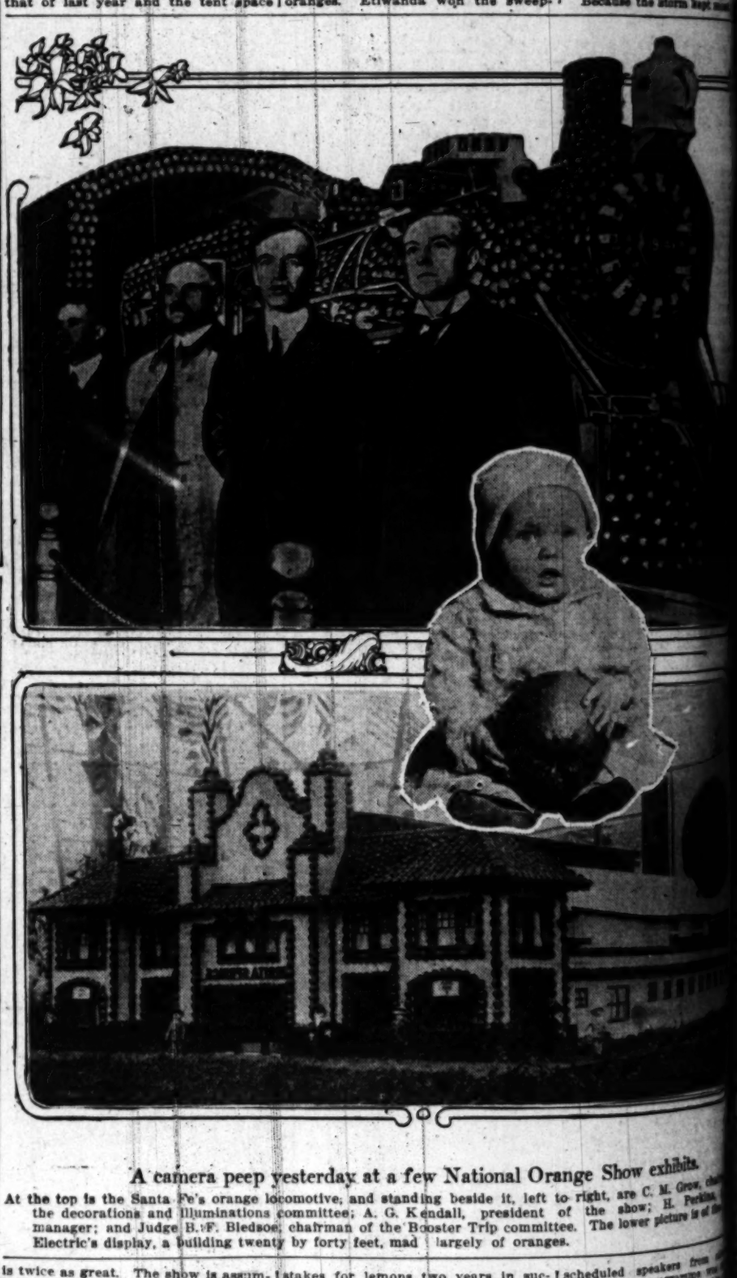
Even the steady downpour which kept down the afternoon attendance failed to dampen or minimize the occasion, for the rain makes assurance doubly sure that this year's crop of citrus fruit will be far in excess of early predictions, and closely approaching the high record of two years ago.

President A. G. Kendall, in opening the meeting, announced that this year's show is the biggest and best ever held by the association. The cost of preparation is nearly double that of last year and the tent space Southern California this winter. Realizing this remarkably satisfactory condition, the orange growers here tonight feel that the magnificent exhibit truly reflects an industry that has grown and will continue to grow until its annual value is $50,000,000. Beautiful as the show appeared this afternoon, with the ripe fruit temptingly and artistically arranged, its evening aspect was even more gloriously fascinating with the refulgence from thousands of multi-colored electric lamps reflected from the golden fruit. It is a show unlike any other ever held and would be impossible except in Southern California.

VARIED DISPLAYS.

The Placentia Chamber of Commerce has a great tier of naval oranges in competitive exhibit and a central feature design with oranges and grapefruit arranged in heart designs effectively illuminated with lavender lights.

Alta Loma and Upland have fine, big, competitive exhibits and the latter district has a feature display arranged as a landscape bordered with oranges. Etiwanda won the sweep-



A camera peep yesterday at a few National Orange Show exhibits.

At the top is the Santa Fe's orange locomotive, and standing beside it, left to right, are C. M. Grow, chief of the decorations and illuminations committee; A. G. Kendall, president of the show; H. Perkins, manager; and Judge B. F. Bledsoe, chairman of the Booster Trip committee. The lower picture is of the Electric's display, a building twenty by forty feet, mad largely of oranges.

of Agriculture has an extensive exhibit showing the results of experiments with citrus fruit. The exhibit is in charge of Dr. H. J. Webber.

Redlands has several notable exhibits, one of the biggest being that of H. H. Ford, president of the Redlands National Bank. The Redlands Chamber of Commerce has erected as a central feature a gigantic horn filled with orange and other fruits and surrounded by wreaths fruit and clusters of cyclamen.

Bloomington, Whittier and Monrovia, have fine exhibits of oranges. Monrovia's special feature is the oranges and grass with an orange background of mountain scenery.

The Santa Fe's exhibit is the most expensive in the show and includes the engine which has been a prominent feature for four years, in addition to the locomotive with its revolving wheels the exhibit includes a great tunnel with an observation car protruding from one end. The car are dolls dressed to represent passengers.

A great clock tower made entirely of oranges and with a pendulum of oranges was built by the association for the Amateur Members of Commerce. The Imperial Valley exhibit is extensive and attractive and represents $500 worth of citrus fruit. The Mutual Orange Growers' Association has a fine display of boxed fruit. The exhibition includes more than twenty districts. The feature of the display is a great statute of liberty made of oranges and lemons. The Redlands exhibit is in the form of a log cabin house and includes a large number of fine oranges from the Smiley Heights.

From the San Joaquin Valley the Lindsay-Strathmore district has a chariot scene with the goddess and horses on a field of glowing oranges. Covina has a Venetian bridge and the city department of San Bernardino a brilliantly lighted fountain flowing well.

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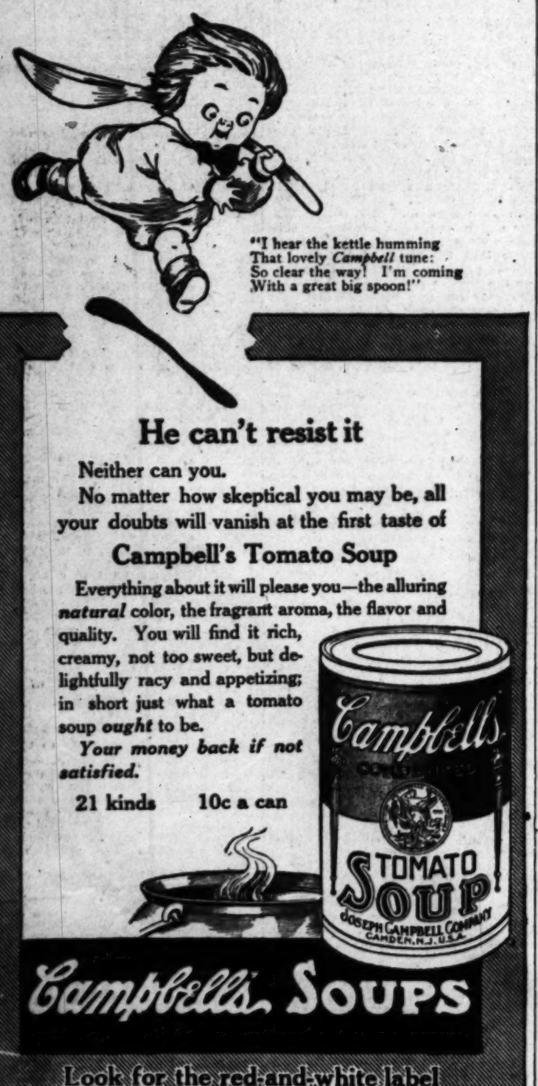

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Plenty of sunshine at Coron... Advertisement.

FUNDS SHORT.

FRESNO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive ...atch.] J. P. Avenell, cashier of ...National Bank of Fowler, was ar... ...ere tonight by Deputy United ...Marshal Coyle on charge of ... ...short in his funds $15,000. The ...plaint was sworn to by Bank E... ...or John A. Kerr in Los Angel... ...ore United States Commis... ...harles N. Williams.

WANTS DIVORCE.

Following the sensational tra... ...onths ago of David B. Wi... ...harged by his aged wife, Mrs. ... Williams with attempting to ... her and secure her property ... ...rce suit was today filed by Mr... ...on grounds of cruelty. ... ...as freed from the charge ... ...ter a bitter trial. Williams ha... the city since his release. ... Williams charges her prosecu... ...nd with bringing a young ... ...to her home and introducing h... ...married cousin and cities that h... ...uelly and disrespectfully treated ...

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...[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.] ...ENO, Feb. 18.—The ... Company found itself ... of the woods by any ... on the heels of the ... the vice-president and ... the superintendent ... for defrauding ... out of customs draw... the Collector of In... today seized the com... to conduct an investiga... may determine whether ... the corporation has de... payment out of some... in income taxes ... five years is correct. ... special agent of the ... announced that ... suit be sued for the ... the government ... frauds of James ... manager, and his ...

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...[BY WIRE TO THE TIMES.] ...ENO, Feb. 18.—Atty.- ...took the first legal ...to have the marriage of ...daughter, Hester, to ...aged 19, annulled. ...consent of the Su... ...and the Attorney- ...guardian of Mrs. ...

...judgment is pending in ...court here in the case ...aged 16, who ran away ...with a minor, last ...Miss Webb and ...when all four ...the marriages were ...a justice at Redwood ...after stating that they ...

...a daughter of Jesse ...Commissioner, and ...Police of this city. ...was a High School ...and desired to get ...

...Health Officer.

...ORNIA, Feb. 18.—[By A. P. ...Health Officer will take ...Board of ...ce of an ordinance ...

EARTHQUAKE IN NEVADA.

Shock at Reno Is Violent and Causes Many Broken Windows With a Few Cracked Walls.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO (Nev.) Feb. 18.—An earthquake shock occurred here today at 10:18 a.m. The shock was violent and lasted about three seconds. The direction was from southeast to northwest.

The only damage consisted of broken windows and in a few cases cracked walls. Hundreds of persons, badly frightened, rushed into the streets from business buildings and residences. A portion of the front wall of an apartment-house fell to the pavement and several pedestrians narrowly escaped.

Reports from Virginia City and Carson say that the shock was severe there. Miners left work in the Comstocks and made their way to the surface. Windows and walls were cracked in both places.

Opinion.

PROSECUTORS ARE CRITICISED.

JUDGE SAYS WISH TO WIN OBSCURES FAIRNESS.

Supreme Justice Melvin Declares Attorneys in Their Desire to Convict Forget They Owe the Defendant a Duty as Well as the State.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—G. Ray Horton, an assistant of Dist.-Atty. Fredericks of Los Angeles, who prosecuted Gorham Tufts, Jr., for obtaining money under false pretenses in 1912, and public prosecutors in general, come in for severe criticism from Supreme Justice Henry A. Melvin in an opinion today setting aside the conviction of Tufts and the order denying him a new trial. In explaining his reason for a reversal of the lower court, Judge Melvin said:

"The prosecutor improperly commented upon the action of the defendant in objecting, as he had an undoubted right to under the law, to his wife's testifying against him. It is to be regretted that prosecuting counsel, in the heat of contest and the desire for victory, some times forget that the function of a District Attorney is largely judicial, and that he owes to the defendant as solemn a duty of fairness as he is bound to give to the State full measure of earnestness and fervor in the performance of his official obligations. Again and again this court has commented upon the course of prosecutors in this regard, but instances of such conduct are all too common. We have no doubt that in the present case the prosecutor's demeanor and his improper questions deprived the defendant of that fair trial which ought to have been his under the law. For this reason he should not be subjected to the result of a verdict so induced."

Tufts was convicted of falsely representing that he had the power of attorney to sign the name of his wife, Jennie N. S. Tufts, to promissory notes and transfer notes belonging to her to secure the payment of such loans. Victor H. Steele had loaned him $700 with such an understanding.

Tufts's defense was that he once had the power of attorney from his wife, that it had been revoked during a family quarrel and that his wife later had given him oral permission to represent her. The prosecutor tried to bring testimony into the case reflecting on the defendant's moral character, which circumstance led to the reversal by the Supreme Court.

Election.

OAKLAND WETS WIN HANDILY.

CARRY THE HART INITIATIVE BY TWO THOUSAND.

Voters Decisively Pass the City's Rate Fixing Powers on All Public Utilities Except Warehouses and Wharfingers Over to the State Railroad Commission.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND, Feb. 18.—The Hart initiative ordinance, nullifying the present saloon ordinance and keeping the present number of retail liquor sellers in Oakland, beside reducing the license from $1000 to $600, was carried yesterday by a majority of 1983. There were 18,217 votes cast in favor and 16,234 cast against.

The rate-fixing powers on all public utilities, with the exception of those on warehouses and wharfingers, were passed to the State Railroad Commission. The city retained its control over wharfingers by a vote of 17,247 to 12,851; over warehousemen by 16,636 to 12,792. The remaining utilities propositions were transferred to the commission by majority votes of 3 to 1.

STOCKTON'S REVIVAL.

Campaign for Greater Church Attendance Begins in Tabernacle Erected by Citizens for Meetings.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Under the leadership of the Rev. Henry Ostrom, a valley-wide campaign for greater church attendance opened in this city tonight in a large tabernacle constructed especially for the event.

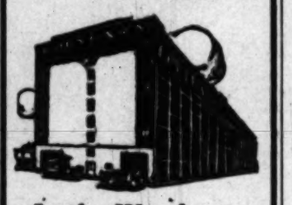
Despite inclement weather the immense building was almost filled and great enthusiasm was shown. A large part of the service tonight was devoted to hearing reports of committees, all of which showed that the movement is well organized.

Among those who emphasized the purposes of the campaign were the Rev. L. S. Woodruff, the Rev. J. W. Byrd, the Rev. J. B. Travis, the Rev. J. W. Lundy, Dr. E. P. Dennett and Noel H. Garrison, principal of the High School.

The meetings will continue daily for about three weeks and during that time it is expected that large delegations will attend from the various valley towns.

Evangelist Ostrom declared that his campaign would be non-sectarian and constructive. He says he is opposed to sensational methods.

STORE YOUR FURNITURE



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GREENEBAUMS DIVORCED.

Wife's Father in a Deposition Declares He Supported the Son-in-Law After Honeymoon Was Over.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Dorothy H. Greenebaum, society woman, was today granted a divorce from Leon S. Greenebaum, widely known in business circles. Before Judge Mogan she testified that her husband had not provided for her.

In a deposition, her father, Herman Heyneman, now in Europe, charged that he supported Greenebaum from the end of his honeymoon. The Greenebaums were married March 31, 1903.

For three years, said the deposition, Greenebaum was employed under Heyneman at $600 a month by the American Tobacco Company, of which Heyneman is Coast general agent.

Mrs. Greenebaum testified that her husband gave her no money, even for clothes; that her father paid $2500 for an appendicitis operation performed on her and that he bought for them their home here.

Mrs. Greenebaum asked no alimony. The case was uncontested. The Greenebaums have no children.

VERSE AS DIVORCE GROUND.

Wife Says Alleged Insinuation Gave Her Mental Anguish and So Applies for Decree.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Here's to the girl who dresses in blue. To the man she loves she intends to be true; but give her a kiss, a cocktail or two, and God only knows what she won't do."

The foregoing is incorporated in a divorce complaint filed here today by Mrs. Agnes Stoemer against William L. Stoemer, and is one of the grounds for the action. The plaintiff declares the lines were sent to her by her spouse and that they are insinuating and have caused her mental anguish.

The Stoemers were married at San Rafael in August, 1905, and, according to the complaint, were again married at Marysville in November, 1907. The latter ceremony was necessary, alleges the plaintiff, owing to the fictitious name of "Stone" which the defendant is said to have used in the place of his right name. During 1906 the plaintiff states that her husband left for parts unknown, and prior to that time he struck her in the face while in this city and rendered her unconscious. The wife alleges that as a result of the blow she was ill for a week.

CAPITOL IN DANGER.

Discovery of Smoking Insulated Wires at Sacramento Prevents Spread of Flames.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 18.—The discovery of the insulation of wires on the third floor of the capitol smoldering prevented the spread of the flames between the walls, which might have resulted in a serious fire today. The smoke was noticed on the second and third floors of the building, which, when traced to its source, was found in a small storage room on the third floor. The electric wires and part of the woodwork was smoldering and was quickly put out by a pail of water.

MONEY FOR EXPANSION.

Western States Gas and Electric Company Asks Permission to Issue $219,000 Gold Bonds.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—The Western States Gas and Electric Company filed an application with the Railroad Commission today for permission to issue $219,000 first mortgage refunding 5 per cent. gold bonds to cover refunding, expenditures made, and the cost of more physical equipment. The company wishes to sell these bonds at 82½ per cent.

In 1911 the company executed a trust mortgage for $10,000,000 to the Girard Trust Company of Philadelphia, and of this authorized issue it has $4,282,000 in outstanding bonds. Of this amount, an issue of $1,702,000 already has been authorized.

The Western States Gas and Electric Company operates in Humboldt, San Joaquin, Sacramento, Calaveras, Amador, El Dorado and Contra Costa counties.

MINE RESCUE HOPELESS.

Force of Men Kept at Work Seeking Bodies of Men Still Entombed at Seattle.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 18.—All hope of rescuing alive Andrew Churneck and Mike Vabeanick, the coal miners who were entombed Monday by a slide in the Cannon mine of the Pacific Coast Coal Company at Franklin, thirty-four miles from here, was abandoned tonight, but a force of men was kept at work in an effort to reach the bodies.

ELOPERS BROUGHT BACK.

Young Sacramento Girl Declares Her Companion's Peculiar Influence Forced Her to Accompany Him.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 18.—Miss Marie Clark, 16 years old, prize beauty, and John S. Vasques, Mexican mechanic, who eloped from this city two weeks ago, were brought back to this city today from Portland.

Vasques came as a prisoner in charge of Detective Tharp. Miss Clark was in company of her stepmother.

The girl says she does not love Vasques and only accompanied him because he held a peculiar influence over her. She told the officers Vasques promised to marry her in Portland but kept delaying the day. A felony charge has been placed against Vasques.

MONEY FOR PIPE LINE.

Southern Counties Company Asks Permission to Issue $115,000 Bonds for Natural Gas Distribution.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Application for the authority to issue $115,000 in bonds to build a pipe line from the natural gas fields in the Olinda district, Orange county, to Placentia, Fullerton, Anaheim, Olive, Orange, McPherson, El Modena, Santa Ana, Garden Grove and Tustin, was filed with the Railroad Commission today by the Southern Counties Gas Company. The company at present is distributing artificial gas to these towns.

At the same time, the company announced its intention of reducing the gas rate, and asked authority to reduce the rate in the town of Orange from $1.22 to 75 cents per thousand cubic feet. Authority was asked to refund $16,000 worth of notes.

PAY CANFIELD ESTATE TAX.

Over Quarter of Million Dollars Will Go into Treasury From Los Angeles County.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 18.—An inheritance tax of $250,000 on the estate of Charles A. Canfield, who died in Los Angeles in August, 1913, was paid today to the treasurer of Los Angeles county and will be turned over to the State, according to information received here by State Controller John S. Chambers. The total tax assessed was $268,187, but the heirs obtained a 5 per cent. discount by paying it within six months after death. The payment today represents only a part settlement of the inheritance tax.

TO REFORM THE WEST.

Presbyterian Church Decides to Send 250 Temperance Workers With Moving Pictures as Object Lessons.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The Presbyterian Church will send 250 temperance workers into California, Colorado, Washington and Oregon in an effort to swing these lines into "dry" column at the next fall election. They will take motion picture films teaching lessons against the sale of alcohol. Plans for the crusade were perfected today at a meeting of the Presbyterian board of temperance. An appropriation of $50,000 for the temperance work in the West was approved.

BOY PLEADS IN COUNCIL.

And the Oakland City Fathers Pass an Ordinance to Release His Dog from the Pound.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Braving the mysteries of the City Hall, George Benjamin, 12 years old, appeared before the City Council of Oakland today and with his tearful plea stopped the proceedings long enough to allow the passing of a resolution authorizing the Commissioner of Public Health and Safety to release the lad's dog from the city pound without the payment of a fee.

George discovered last night that his pet was in the city's dog jail because it had no license, so he appealed to the poundmaster. He offered his entire savings of $1.25 to secure the release of the dog.

Moved by the lad's story, the poundmaster enlisted the aid of Auditor Gross, City Treasurer Meese and the Associated Charities, and the passing of the resolution followed.

SAFE CRACKERS BUSY.

VISALIA, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Burglars blew the safe in the B. T. Wolfe store and postoffice at Farmersville, seven miles from here, shortly after 2 o'clock this morning and made their escape with books and papers of no value. Postmaster Shoemaker, who lives next door to the store, heard the explosion and gave the alarm, but the cracksmen escaped without leaving a clew to the direction taken. Sheriff Collins, who arrived a short time after the burglary, pronounced the safe blowing job that of experts.

Free—Absolutely Free.

Attend the free lecture and lesson at The Times School of Domestic Science, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 2 p.m., second floor, New Times Building.

Chronic Constipation.

Many cases of chronic constipation have been permanently cured by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets and by observing the directions with each bottle. Give them a trial, get well and stay well.—[Advertisement.

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What City On or Near the Coast Wants the Largest Moving Picture Concern in the World to Locate in or Near It?

—We want a ranch of 600 to 1200 acres on which to produce moving pictures.
We spend twenty thousand dollars EVERY WEEK in and around the ranch where we are now located, near Los Angeles.
—That means a million dollars a year.
—Wherever we move to, we will be followed by other concerns in the moving picture business and tributary lines. These concerns distribute probably another million dollars a year.
—What city wants us to locate nearby and spend that much money per year in that city and vicinity?
—What inducements will you offer us to move to or near YOUR city?
—Besides the 500 people on our payroll we furnish employment for thousands of men and women every week.
—Our own payroll people we will bring with us.
—The others to whom we give extra employment will undoubtedly follow.
—In the production of moving pictures we require EVERY KIND OF MERCHANDISE under the sun. That means that merchants in EVERY LINE OF BUSINESS will profit by having us in their city or near enough to purchase our supplies.
—We produce more moving pictures every week than any concern in the universe. They are known all over the civilized world. We are by far the largest film manufacturing concern on earth.
—We are rich. We are prosperous. We are spenders. WE *HAVE TO BE* IN ORDER TO MAKE THE BEST PICTURES.
—We are capitalized for $2,000,000 AND NOT A CENT'S WORTH OF STOCK IS FOR SALE.
—We have been a BOON to Los Angeles. We have given it world-wide advertising. Merchants in all lines of trade have GROWN RICH OFF OUR TRADE. We pay our bills. We have the finest kind of credit, in the face of the fact that we ARE NOT YET TWO YEARS OLD AND HAD TO START WITH PRECIOUS LITTLE WORKING CASH.
—We want a place to produce our pictures. We don't intend to dictate terms to any one, but on the other hand, we are independent enough to REFUSE TO BE MULCTED JUST BECAUSE WE ARE A BIG CONCERN.
—The ranch that we want must have the following features:
—Hills, mountains, a lake, wells, or a spring.
—Plenty of wooded land with large trees.
—Good road to and from the city.
—Five-cent car line to the city.
—Electricity and telephone service.
—Now then, what do you offer? Remember, we want you to strain a point and offer us the best you possibly can. We mean business, quick business, and the city that wins out WINS A BONANZA and adds to its population and income immediately.
—The reason we are moving from our present location is that the owners of the ranch which we occupy refused to renew the lease and are asking what we consider an exorbitant purchase price. As we stated before, we do not propose to be mulcted or taken advantage of.
—We must move very shortly, so NOW IS THE ACCEPTED TIME TO MAKE EVERY PREPARATION and close a quick, satisfactory deal with some wide-awake, live, hustling, ambitious, APPRECIATIVE city or town! Does this mean YOU?
—If so COMMUNICATE QUICKLY WITH I. BERNSTEIN, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE COAST STUDIOS OF THE

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Feb. 18, 1914.

Bank clearings yesterday were $4,964,230.72, an increase of $40,116.63, compared with the same day in 1913, and an increase of $914,127.02, compared with the same day in 1912.

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Monday	$5,258,412.45	$4,507,105.84	$4,221,379.19
Tuesday	4,750,427.51	4,647,267.25	4,124,943.09
Wednesday	4,964,230.72	4,924,130.10	4,050,103.71

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Call money, steady, 1¼@2 per cent.; ruling rate, 1¾ per cent.; closing, 1¼@2 per cent. Time loans—Steady; sixty days, 2¼@3 per cent.; ninety days, 2¼@3 per cent.; six months, 3¼@4 per cent. Mercantile paper, 3½@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange, easy; sixty days, 4.85¼; demand, 4.85 80-100. Commercial bills, 4.82¾; silver, 57¾. Mexican dollars, 46. Government bonds, steady. Railroad bonds, steady.

San Francisco Silver Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Silver bars, unchanged.

Stocks and Bonds.

RUMORS VARY, PRICES WOBBLE.

BUT AFTER DUST SETTLES LIST IS HIGHER.

Day's Movements Hinge Almost Entirely Upon Disposition of the Freight Rates Case by the Commerce Commission—Contradictory Reports of President Have Effect.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The stock market was upset today by conflicting reports concerning the probable disposition of the freight rates case. The movement of prices hinged almost entirely on these reports, which, as they were circulated in Wall street, were contradictory that before the day was done speculators were badly confused. Uncertainty as to the disposition by the Interstate Commerce Commission of the eastern railroads' application for a 5 per cent. increase in freight rates has exerted a repressive influence on the market for so long that speculators were greatly relieved when news came from Washington that President Wilson favored a speedy decision. It soon developed, however, that the report could not be confirmed as an early date. On the strength of these assumptions the market, which had been dull and irregular earlier in the day, advanced strongly. Half an hour before the close the street learned that the bull element had assumed too much. Chairman Clark of the Interstate Commerce Commission was quoted in a Washington dispatch as saying that President Wilson had expressed no opinion regarding the merits of the freight rates case. The weekly steel trade reviews reported a further increase in new orders. Presteel Steel Car was organized by its annual report showing a gain of $1,404,000 in net. Otherwise there was little to influence the course of the market aside from the freight rates case. London did little here today. Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, $6,750,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

NEW YORK LETTER.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Despite much backing and filling and quite a little turmoil resulting from conflicting news as to the attitude of the President in connection with the advance rate case, the stock list closed generally higher. It is said that the Chief Executive is taking deep interest in the freight rate decision and has arranged with the Interstate Commerce Commission to influence that that he was also said that he was assured that there was no likelihood of the decision of the committee being delayed until September. Later another authority quoted a Washington dispatch in which it was stated that Chairman Clark of the Interstate Commerce Commission had stated that the committee had not opposed increase in freight rates. Just before the close Washington advices suggested that Commissioner Harlan will have some definite announcement to make at the resumption of hearings tomorrow as to the approximate time when the committee will announce its decision on the application of the carriers. It is the consensus of opinion in well-informed quarters that the President is cognizant of the fact that an early action on rate matters will be necessary in order to revive general trade and permit the railways to enter markets for labor and materials on a large scale. Much new financing is pending and it does not seem probable that investors will absorb on a large scale the funded obligations of railroads unless some assurance is given that the largest corporations will be permitted to earn a fair return on investments of capital.

New York Curb Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The close on the curb market was irregular and dull. Oil stocks were firm. Standard of California sold at 537, a gain of 18 points over last night, and closed around 525. Niles-Bker was heavy, closing at 7¾@8. Boston coppers opened quiet, at last night's prices. Tamarack rallied ¼ point. Granby declined 1¼ but recuperated on fair odd-lot buying. The afternoon market livened up and prices improved. Allouez gained 2 and Granby was higher by 1⅛ than at the opening. During the last half hour prices softened a little in sympathy with the bear raid in New York.

Following are closing quotations:

	Close— Bid.	Ask.
Balmoral	7⅛	8
Braden Cop.	7⅛	7¾
Braden Sa.	145	152
B. & P. T.	2¾	2¾
Chi. Sub.	2	3
Colo.	2	3
Con. Ariz.	7-16	13
Davis Daly	1¾	2
Dolores	2	4
Ely Con.	2	2
El Paso	2	2¾
Emerson	2¾	3
Do. pfd.	75	80
First Nat.	2¾	3
Fraction	1	2
Florence	50	52
Gadsden	1	2
G. F. Dale	2	2¼
G. Rel.	1	2
Greene Cananea	29¼	29¾
Hallinger	1¾	2
Halifax	1¾	2
Inspiration	115	125
I. Cop. Sub.	10	11
J. Butler	94	96
Kerr Lake	2¾	3
La Rose	13	14
L. V. Coal	185	190
Man. Shirt	40	55
Do. pfd.	98	105
Man. Tran.	1 1-16	1¼
Marcon	3¼	3⅝
Mason Val.	3⅝	3¾
Mays Oil	22	25
Mck. Dar.	1 3-16	1 5-16
M. of Am.	8¾	9¼
Mont. Ton.	1	1 1-16
Mix. Ex.	45	50
Mont. Shoe	2	3
Nev. Hills	41	42
Nipissing	6¼	6¾
Ohio Cop.	4	4¼
Pac. Gas	50¼	51
Do. com.	45¾	45¾
Do. pfd.	80¼	
Sac. Tor.	1	2
Sioux Con.	1	2
South Utah.	3-16	5-16
Stewart	1¼	1 1-16
Tph. Prod.		
Do. pfd.	84¼	86
Tonopah	5⅝	6
Tono. Ex.	1 11-16	1 13-16
Tri. Mer.	3-16	5-16
Tribullion	1-16	3-16
Tuolumne	¾	1
Do. pfd.	4	6
U. S. Light	4	6
Do. pfd.	8	10
W. Pac.	5	7
W. Power		
com.	22	24
pfd.	65	68
W. End	1¾	2
Wettlaufer	1¾	2
Wilbur	2	3
Do. pfd.	94	96
Yukon	2¾	3
Gd. Con.	1 9-16	1 11-16
Bt. A. Con.	40	42
Bt. A. Tob.	23¾	24¼
Bt. A. Pfd.	92¾	94
U. C. Stm.		93

New York Bond List.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing quotations on the bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
Atchison Gen. 4s	95¾	95¾
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	95¾	96
R. & O. Gold 4s	93¾	94
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s	82¾	82¾
Chesapeake & Ohio 4½s	92¼	92¼
C. M. & St. P. Gen. 4½s	100¾	100¾
C. R. I. Col. 4s	102¾	103
California Gas 5s	105	105
C. B. Q. Joint 4s	95¼	95¾
Erie Gen. 4s	45¾	45¾
Inter-Met. 4½s	75	75¼
Louisville & Nashville Un. 4s	75¾	75¾
Missouri Pacific 4s	50¾	50¾
N. Y. C. Gen. 3½s	84¼	84¼
N. & W. 1st Con. 4s	94¾	94¾
Northern Pacific 4s	94¾	94¾
Pacific Tel. 5s	99¼	99¼
Pennsylvania Con. 4s	100¾	100¾
Reading Gen. 4s	100¾	100¾
St. L. & S. F. Rfg. 4s	85	85¼
Southern Pacific Col. 4s	92	92¼
Southern Railway 5s	101¾	101¾
Southern Railway 4s	75¾	75¾
Un. Ry. Inv. 5s	75¼	75¾
Utah Pacific 1st and Ref. 6s	93	94
U. S. Steel 5s	102¾	102¾
West Shore 4s	94	94
Wabash 4s	90¼	90¼
Westinghouse Electric Conv. 5s	93¾	94
Wisconsin Central 4s	93¾	94
Dragon Navigation	93	94

NEW YORK STOCKS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices, sales and high and low quotations today:

Sales—	High.	Low.	Close— Bid.	Asked.
300 Allantic C. L.	124⅛	123⅞	123½	124⅛
Allis Chalmers	....	....	13	14½
10,000 Amalg. Copper	....	....	45	45⅛
100 Am. Agr. Chem.	76⅛	75⅞	75⅞	76
Am. Agr. C. pfd.	54	54	54	54⅝
Am. Car & Fdy.	52	....	95	96
Am. C. & F. pfd.	52	51	51⅛	51⅞
8,000 Am. Can Co.	....	....	116	118
500 Am. Can Co. pfd.	81	80¼	80⅝	81
100 Am. Beet Sugar	25¼	25¼	25¼	25⅝
Am. B. Sugar pfd.	....	....	73¼	75¼
100 Am. Cotton Oil	44¼	44¼	44¼	45¼
9,200 Am. Ice Securities	26⅝	25⅞	26	26⅛
Am. Express	....	....	96	97
Am. Hide & L.	....	....	....	65⅝
Am. H. & L. pfd.	....	....	101½	102
500 Am. Linseed	10¾	10¾	10⅞	11
Am. Linseed pfd.	....	....	29	31
Am. Locomotive	35	34¾	34¾	35
Am. Loco. pfd.	....	....	101	102
Am. Steel Fdy.	....	....	29¾	30
700 Am. Smelting	107	106¾	107	107¼
Am. Smelt. pfd.	....	....	107	107½
100 Am. Sugar	108	108	107	111
Am. Sugar pfd.	....	....	112¾	113
1,100 Am. Tel. & Tel.	121¾	121½	121⅝	121⅞
700 Am. Tob. Co.	248½	247½	248	249
Am. Woolen	....	....	104	105¼
500 Am. Woolen pfd.	77	76½	76½	77
1,700 Anaconda	37	36¾	36¾	36⅞
2,800 A. T. & S. F.	96⅜	96	96⅛	96⅜
200 A. T. & S. F. pfd.	98¾	97¾	97⅞	98
2,600 Bald. Loco.	93⅛	92⅝	92⅝	92⅞
B. & O.	93⅛	92¾	92¾	92⅞
700 Bethlehem Steel	58¾	58¾	58¾	59
200 Beth. Steel pfd.	77	76¾	76¾	77
Brooklyn R. T.	92¾	92	92¼	92⅜
200 Cal. Petrol.	27¾	27¼	27¼	27½
Cal. Petrol. pfd.	97	97	97	97½
1,200 Canadian Pacific	218⅝	218¾	218¾	219
1,600 Chino	48	47¾	47¾	47⅞
6,000 C. & O.	63¾	63¼	63¼	63⅜
9,300 Central Leather	44¾	43¾	43¾	44
Central Leather pfd.	84¾	83½	83½	84
Central T.	100	100	99¾	100
Chicago & Alton	....	....	806	820
C. C. & St. L.	....	....	....	94¾
C. & G. W.	....	....	12	19
C. & G. W. pfd.	33¾	33¾	33¾	34
C. & N. W.	131	130¾	130¾	131
C. & N. W. pfd.	....	....	171	181¾
C. R. I. & P.	104	103¾	104	104¼
C. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	130½	141
Colo. Fuel & Iron	....	....	35	37
Colo. F. & I. pfd.	....	....	97	98
Colo. Gas	....	....	100	100
200 Colo. So.	25¾	25¾	25¾	26
Colo. So. 1st pfd.	66¼	66¼	66¼	67
Colo. So. 2nd pfd.	50¾	50¾	50¾	51
Consolidated Gas.	....	....	140	141
400 Corn Products	13¾	13¾	13¾	13⅞
Do. pfd.	72	72	72	73
Del. & Hudson	156	155	155	156
Del. L. & W.	496	495	495	500
D. & R. G.	19¾	19¾	19¾	20
D. & R. G. pfd.	....	....	85	86
Distilling Sec.	26	26	25¾	26
Distillers	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Do. pfd.	....	....	97	98
11,000 Erie	27¾	27¼	27¼	27⅜
1,400 Erie 1st pfd.	45¾	45¼	45¼	45⅜
Erie 2nd pfd.	37¾	37¾	37¾	38
Genl. Electric	145¾	145¾	145¾	146
1,700 Goodrich	58¾	58¾	58¾	59
Goodrich pfd.	108¾	108¾	108¾	109
200 Gt. Northern pfd.	130¾	130¾	130¾	131
1,000 Gt. Nor. Ore	27¾	27¾	27¾	28
Illinois Central	113¾	113¾	113¾	114
Interborough Con.	17¾	17¾	17¾	18
700 Int. Harv.	106¾	106¾	106¾	107
Int. Harv. pfd.	....	....	116	116
Int. Paper	19¾	19¾	19¾	20
Int. Paper pfd.	....	....	85	86
Int. Pump	....	....	40	41
Int. Pump pfd.	....	....	85	86
Inter-Met.	9¾	9¾	9¾	10
Inter-Met. pfd.	24¾	24¾	24¾	25
Iowa Central	12¾	12¾	12¾	13
Iowa Central pfd.	....	....	30	31
800 K. C. Southern	25¾	25¾	25¾	26
K. C. So. pfd.	54¾	54¾	54¾	55
L. & N.	134¾	134¾	134¾	135
Lackawanna Gas	....	....	100	105
Lehigh Valley	150	150	150	151
Liggett & Meyers	170	170	170	175
Liggett & Meyers pfd.	....	....	113	114
Lorillard	170	170	168	170
Do. pfd.	....	....	112	113
Louisville & Nash.	134¾	134¾	134¾	135
Manhattan	....	....	150	151
Inter-Met.	....	....	18	18
Do. pfd.	....	....	40	50
Miami Copper	23¾	23¾	23¾	24
Mex. Central Ctfs.	20¾	20¾	20¾	21
Mex. Central pfd.	....	....	65¾	66
Mex. Petrol.	66	65¾	66	67
Mex. Petrol. pfd.	....	....	97	98
Mackay	65¾	65¼	65¼	65¾
Mackay pfd.	84¾	84¼	84¼	84¾
Minn. & St. L.	....	....	30¾	31
Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	68	69
Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	16	18
Missouri Pacific	37¾	37¾	37¾	38
Nat. Biscuit	134¾	134	134	135
Nat. Biscuit pfd.	....	....	107	110
Nat. Enamel	....	....	78	78
Nat. Lead	61	60¾	60¾	61
N. Y. Central	....	....	97¾	98
N. Y. C. & St. L.	....	....	60	65
Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	97	98
Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	55	60
N. Y. Ont. & W.	28¾	28¾	28¾	29
N. Y. & N. W. pfd.	104¾	104¾	104¾	105
North American	115	115	114¾	115
Northern Pacific	117	116¾	116¾	117
Omaha	....	....	118	120
Omaha pfd.	....	....	135	150
Pac. Coast Mail	....	....	138	150
Pac. Tel.	....	....	27¾	28
Pac. Tel. pfd.	....	....	77	80
Penn. R. R. Co.	112¾	110¾	111¾	112
People's Gas	121¾	121¾	121¾	122
Pitts. Coal	22¾	22¾	22¾	23
Pitts. Coal pfd.	91¾	91¾	91¾	92
Pressed Steel Car	45¾	43¾	44¾	45¾
Pressed Steel Car pfd.	....	....	94¾	95
Pullman	....	....	165	165
Ry. Steel Springs	29¾	29¾	30	30¾
Ry. Steel Springs pfd.	91¾	91¾	91¾	92
Reading	166¾	166¾	167¼	167¾
Reading 1st pfd.	....	....	88	89
Reading 2nd pfd.	....	....	80	90
Republic I. & S.	25¾	25¾	25¾	26
Republic I. & S. pfd.	....	....	94	95
Rock Island	25¾	25¾	25¾	26
Rock Island pfd.	57¾	57¾	57¾	58
Sears Roebuck Co.	97¾	97¾	104¾	109
Sloss-Sheffield	57¾	57¾	57¾	58
Do. pfd.	....	....	113¾	114
South. Pac.	84¾	84	83¾	84
South. Pac. pfd.	....	....	91	92
South. Railway	27	26¾	26¾	27
Southern Railway pfd.	67¾	67¾	67¾	68
Studebaker	65¾	65¾	65¾	66
Studebaker pfd.	....	....	107	108
Third Ave. Ry.	44¾	43¾	43¾	44
Tenn. Copper	43¾	43¾	43¾	44
Texas Co.	145¾	145¾	145¾	146
Texas Pacific	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Third Ave. Ry.	....	....	40	41
Twin City R. T.	....	....	106½	107
U. R. & P. Co.	....	....	29¾	30
U. R. & P. Co. pfd.	....	....	85	85¾
Union Pacific	168¾	167¾	168	168¾
U. P. pfd.	....	....	85¾	86
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	....	....	23	24
U. S. C. I. P. pfd.	....	....	46	47
U. S. Express	....	....	....	48
U. S. R. & Cons.	54¼	54	54	54¾
U. S. R. & R. Co.	....	....	58	58
Do. pfd.	....	....	93	94½
U. S. Rubber	50¾	50¾	50¾	51
U. S. Rub. 1st pfd.	102	101¾	101¾	102
U. S. Rub. 2nd pfd.	....	....	60	62
U. S. Steel Cor.	66¾	66¼	66¼	66¾
U. S. Steel Cor. pfd.	110¾	109¾	109¾	110
Va. Car. Chem.	31	31	30¾	31
Va. Car. Chem. pfd.	....	....	104½	105
Va. Coal & Coke	....	....	104½	105
Wabash	21¾	21¾	21¾	22
Wabash pfd.	41¾	41¾	41¾	42
Wells-Fargo Ex.	....	....	245	250
Western Union	66¼	66¼	66¼	66¾
Westinghouse	71	70¾	70¾	71
Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	116	117
Western Md.	31	31	110	119¼
Western Md. pfd.	81	81	81	82
W. & L. E.	....	....	4¾	5
Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	16	18
Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	16	18
Wisconsin Central	....	....	45	50
Woolworth	90	88¾	90	100
Woolworth com.	....	....	90	100
Woolworth pfd.	....	....	98¾	99
Alaska	....	....	116	117
N. Y. N. H. & H.	70¾	69¾	69¾	70
Bumley com	14¾	14¼	14¼	14¾
Bumley pfd.	32½	32	32¼	33

Total sales—431,000 shares.

Money opened at 1¾ per cent.; highest, 2 per cent.; lowest, 1¾ per cent.; last loan, 2 per cent.; closed, 1¾@2 per cent.; ruling rate, 1¾ per cent.

New York Oil Stocks.

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Con'tal	.214	215
Crescent	.58	60
Cumb'land	.57	62
Eureka	.300	305
Galena	.137	140
Do. pfd.	.180	190
Ind. Pipe	.180	182
Nat. Trans.	42	44
N.Y. Trans.	300	310
Ohio Oil	.156	158
Prairie	.312	315
Solar	.345	350
S. Pipe	.238	243
S. P. Oil	.340	345
S. Pipe	.148	155
S. Oil, Cal.	.321	323
S. Oil, Ind.	.540	.545
S. Oil, Kan.	.470	480
S. Oil, Ky.	.265	270
S. Oil, Neb.	.440	450
S. Oil, N.Y.	100	200
S. Oil, Okla.	.430	445
S. A. Pinch.	.270	280
U. Tank	.95	98
Vacuum	.210	215
Washton	.61	64
W. Pipe	.91	94
W. Md.	.413	416
S. O. ohio	1295	
S. O. subs.	990	

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

Union Oil Again Proves Active Feature of Market and Shows Slight Gain—Rest Are Quiet.

There was a revival of activity in Union Oil yesterday on the Stock Exchange, with the market again evidencing strength. The opening was at $72.50, up ½ point, and following this there was a fractional decline, but firmness later returned and the close was at $72.87½. United reveals a very good tone, Maricopa Northern is rather soft, National Pacific was unchanged. The rest were quiet, with the exception of Consolidated Mines, which sold at 4 cents.

LOCAL CLOSING.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman building.]

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated	$ 84.00	$ 85.00
Associated	41.87½	....
Brookshire	....	....
Cal. Midway	....	....
Central	01¾	....
Central	1.15	1.20
Columbia	.40	....
Fidelity	.70	.80
Fullerton	.06	.07
Globe	5.50	6.50
Jade	.01¾	.03
Mariposa Northern	.06	.08
Mascot	.06¾	.07
Midway Northern	.07¾	.08
National Pacific	.72½	.73
Olinda	.03¾	.04
Rice Ranch	.30	....
Union	....	1.00
Union Prov.	72.00	72.37½
United Pet.	73.00	....
United	73.00	....
West Coast	21¾	....
Western Union	100.00	....
	100.00	....

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Savings Bank	$145.00	$175.00
Citizens' National	231.00	....
Commercial National	125.00	225.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	345.00	....
Federal Bank of L. A.	127.50	160.00
First National	525.00	660.00
German-American Savings	320.00	400.00
Hibernian Sav. Bank	120.40	....
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	145.00	160.00
Merchants' National	295.00	320.00
National Bank of Cal.	225.00	300.00
Security Trust & Savings	680.00	....
U. S. National	90.00	112.50

INDUSTRIAL AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$110.00	90.00
Cal. Hospital	73.00	85.00
Consolidated Realty	27.00	....
Edison Elec.	27.87½	....
Home Tel. pfd.	27.87½	....
Home Tel. Co.	88.50	....
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co.	88.50	27.50
L. A. Pac. 1st Cons. Mtge.	97	100
L. A. Pac. 1st Refg. 5s	....	94¼
L. A. Pac. Gen'l Lien Ry. 5s	....	....
L. A. Pac. Gen'l Inc.	....	....
L. A. Redondo Ry. 5s	....	105
L. A. Ry. Market 6s	....	104
L. A. Railway	....	....
L. A. Traction 5s	....	....
L. A. Traction	....	66¼
Mex. Nat. Gas 6s	....	....
Mex. Nat. Gas	....	84
Mt. Lowe Ry. 5s	....	....
Pac. Elec. Ry. 5s	....	....
Pac. Elec. Ry.	....	100
Pasadena Home Tel. 5s	....	84
Pasadena Home Tel.	....	90
Pomona Con. Gas & El. 5s	....	....
Pomona Con. Water	....	91¾
Prod. Trans.	....	....
S. Monica Bay R. T. & T. 5s	....	....
S. Monica Bay R. T. & T.	....	....
S. P. R. R. 4½s	....	94¼
S. Diego Gas & Tel. Co. 5s	....	....
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry. 5s	....	....
Trades 6s	....	84¼
Union Oil Co. 5s	....	....
Union Oil Co.	....	97
U. S. L. D. & P. Co. 5s	....	....
Visalia Water 6s	....	....
Whittier H. T. & T. 5s	....	81¼

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bonnie Clare	....	....
Cal. Mills	....	.05
Cons. Mines	....	.02½
Johnnie M. & M.	.04	.04½
	....	.02

OIL LIST.

SALES—Morning session: 30 Union at 72.50; 10 do. at 72.50; 20 do. at 72.50; 10 do. at 72.50; 10 do. at 72.50; 20 do. at 72.50; 10 do. at 72.37½; 10 do. at 72.25; 1000 National Pacific at 4; 1000 do. at 3; 1000 United at 22.

SALES—Afternoon session: 10 Union at 72.25; 10 do. at 72.25; 10 do. at 72.50; 20 do. at 72.50; 10 do. at 72.50; 10 do. at 72.37½; 10 do. at 72.37½; 1000 Maricopa Northern at 8½.

OFF BOARD.

SALES REPORTED—Morning session: 500 United at 22.

MINING LIST.

SALES—Afternoon session: 1000 Cons. Mines at 4; 2000 do. at 4; 1000 do. at 4.

SAN FRANCISCO EXCHANGE.

Comstock Market Breaks—Ophir Down Eight Points—Net Profits of Some Leaders for January.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Comstocks did not retain their gain of Ophir closed at a loss of 8 points, Mexican 2¼, Union and Sierra each 5; Con. Va., 7, and Hale & Norcross 1. Confidence was the exception, closing 4 points up. In the Goldfield list Atlanta was down a point, the consolidated was unchanged; Florence gained 1, and the rest were the same as yesterday. Manhattan was wanted at 1d. In the Tonopah list West End lost 5, and Montana 2¼. Jim Butler and Midway each gained a point. Belmont closed 5 points down. There were no changes in the outside issues. Not profits of Goldfield Consolidated for January are estimated at $156,000. The output of the Tonopah mines last week was valued at $264,400, decrease of $12,000 compared with the week previous. Net profits of the Belmont Company for January were $150,288, a decrease of $21,578 compared with December. This was due to the cleaning up of some low-grade ore. However, the profits leave a surplus of $25,288 over dividend requirements. Net profits of the Tonopah Mining Company for January were $119,423, a decrease of $12,702, compared with December. The ore averaged $2.55 a ton less. Profits for Jim Butler for January were $14,275. They would have been much larger had not a great deal of money been expended on mine supplies, such as timbers, machine drills, etc; all of which are now charged up to development.

Following are closing quotations:

Goldfield	Close— Bid.	Ask.
Atlanta	17	19
Booth	5	6
Blue Bell	4	5
C. O. D.	4	....
Com. Fr.	11	13
Daisy	4	....
Dia. B.B.	....	....
Florence	52	....
Gold. Con.	155	160
Jumbo Ex.	22	24
Lone Star	2	3
Merger	12	13
Morehead	....	....
Silver Pick	8	....
Tramp	4	....
Yel. Tiger	1	2
Manhattan		
Big Four	16	....
Man. Con.	18	....
Man. Dex.	2	....
Oro	14	15
Sand	9	10
Comstock		
District—		
Con. Va.	29	30
Confidence	40	....
H. & Nor.	....	....
Mexican	120	122½
Ophir	69	70
Savage	10	11
Sierra Nev.	11	12
Union	21	22
Tonopah		
District—		
Belmont	790	....
Boston	....	....
Cash Boy	3	....
Jim Butler	94	96
Midway	62	63
M. P. Ex.	39	40
Montana	1	2
Mts.	....	....
McNamara	10	11
N. Star	39	40
Rescue	15	16
Tono. of N.	7¼	7⅝
Tono. Ex.	170	174
Tramp	3	4
W. End	127½	130
Wonder		
Con.	....	....
P. S. Peak	35	....
Nev. Hills	41	....
R. Mts.	4	....

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing bid and asked prices:

	Close— Bid.	Ask.
Brookshire	20	....
Carlson	150	....
Ill. Consol.	5	....
Monte C.	75	100

SALES—1000 Ills Crude at 4; 1000 S. W. & B. at 12; 500 Palmer Union at 6.

New York Oil Stocks.

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...ustrial Progress: Shipping and Grain—Copper Market.

...RS ELECT ...R OFFICERS.

...ESENTATIVES REPRESENT ...A COUNTIES.

...e Taxation Question ...ed by the Men Who ...Farmers of the State. ...ion to Be Theme

...ervation of the ...Association of Cali... ...nday in the office ...Lewis in the Hall ...Many delegates, repre... ...of the fifty-eight coun... ...ties were present. Su... ...addresses were made ...H. F. Garrison of Ala... ...reports of officers and ...

...officers for the coming ...as follows: Walter A. ...counties county, president; ...San Diego county, ...P. Wallace, Yolo ...treasurer. ...ions will end tomorrow ...a banquet. The men ...the county finances for ...discuss the question of ...tention yesterday. To... ...devote particular atten... ...education and the appli... ...present laws to their ...

...Newton W. Thomp... ...delivered an address ...John S. Cham... ...Controller, will be the ...today, after which ...will adjourn to Re... ...guests of the Board ...

...were guests of the ...Club at luncheon.

...STRIBUTION.

...-Day Schools Which ...to Be Relieved—Open...

...closed by the Board ...ns to be distributed to ...ities to relieve the hun... ...schools which exist in ...-street, Selma-avenue, ...-street, Edendale, ...Twenty-fourth-... ...Heights, Jefferson-... ...Normandie-ave... ...avenue, Fifty-second-... ...Lomita, Fifth-street, ...Fourth-street, Sixty-... ...Eighth-street, Twen... ...Fourth-street, Breed-street, ...Vernon-avenue, ...Aragon street and ...schools.

...ons to be fitted up on ...Sixteen-avenue school, to ...rooms. Have open-air ...established with neces... ...awnings, etc.

...LLY.

...Republican Club ...ization of All Similar ...in County.

...is made by the Young ...Club here to ef... ...of all similar clubs ...for the purpose of ...respective Republican ...all a victory for the ...

...of the executive com... ...will be called some ...of a new headquar... ...designated, for the pur... ...plans for the big ...

...Robinson stated last ...though the club expects ...consolidation, no club ...the general organ... ...individuality. ...were appointed at a ...night to handle the ...arrange for a great ...Senator Borah and ...to come here to ...future.

...son of former Vice-... ...Spencer Thorpe, ...A. L. Baldwin, Lewis ...on the committees on ...

...committees, which is ...the campaign, con... ...Sachs, Charles Green, ...and A. Loeffler.

...AID C.O.D.

...Order Does Away ...of Holding Let... ...Postage Due.

...change in the methods ...mail are made by an ...Postmaster-General, just ...the postmaster here. ...post or postal cards ...ument postage will not ...ning the receipt from ...of stamps to make up ...no other articles will ...mailed prepaid at least ...all cases of insufficient ...the amount of the ...be collected of the ad...

...ment of the Postoffice ...full postage must be ...mail matter may be ...the receiving office ...some resulted in finan... ...addressee, besides the ...already passed through the ...letter pending the re... ...to cover the de... ...this provision does ...cost of having deliv... ...mailed letter. Under the ...there were 2 cents ...necessary to inclose a 2-... ...stamped envelope, ...just cost 4 cents, plus ...returned and the delay ...1 cent is due a sav... ...may be had by the ...the new system, as ...it cost 2 cents to for...

...cent fully 90 per cent. ...mailed letter mail is the ...stamps on the part of the ...cents of the stamps af... ...on the envelope. But ...be mailed with the ...to avoid prepayment ...but is the same old ...arrangement is ex... ...delay in the ...amount of mail.

...TED ON BAIL.

...Jr., who was con... ...money under ...and who was given a ...to prove his innocence ...Court in a decision ...Wednesday will prob... ...on bail today. His ...several wealthy ...probably go a free man ...first time since March, ...be arrested.

VOLTAGE VICTIM'S FUNERAL.

Body of Test Superintendent Cremated, Following Service Attended by Hundreds of Co-Workers.

The funeral of Cecil A. Howell, superintendent of the test department of the Southern California Edison Company, was held yesterday forenoon at the Bresee chapel. The service was conducted by Rev. J. A. Geisinger of the University Methodist Church, and was so largely attended that the chapel was overflowed.

The deceased was a native of Kentucky, and was but 33 years of age. He was a technical electrical engineer of acknowledged ability and for eight years was in charge of the important work of meter testing for the Edison company. Prior to coming to Los Angeles he was technical expert for the Wagner Electrical Company of Pittsburgh, and as an evidence of the esteem in which he was held there the manager of that company sent a telegram of condolence and ordered a magnificent floral piece to his memory. Howell was a thorough, practical man, and was highly regarded by the officers under whom he worked, as by the men who were his subordinates. His death on the 12th inst., was caused by accidentally coming in contact with a 60,000-volt wire, while officially looking after some heavy repair work at the Castaic power station. Nobody knew so well the danger of the high-power cables as Howell, and he constantly warned the men working in his department to use the greatest caution. He either walked against the wire, touching it with his forehead, or his head drew an arc from it as he passed close by. Be that as it may, the marvel is that he lived to talk about it in the hospital the next morning, having been first revived by one of his men, who immediately rushed to his aid. "Blackie," as the boys called him, is credited with the restoration of three lives under somewhat similar conditions.

Following the service at the chapel yesterday, the body was cremated at Rosedale Cemetery, the service having been delayed until his wife arrived from the East.

Bequeaths.

UNSIGNED WILL LEFT BY PONET.

WEALTHY PIONEER'S WIDOW IS NAMED AS EXECUTRIX.

Religious Organizations Given Various Amounts and Children of Deceased Brother Share in Division of the Property at Los Angeles and Fifth Streets.

The holographic but unsigned will of Victor Ponet, the wealthy pioneer who died on the 7th inst., was filed for probate yesterday accompanied by the petition of the widow, Mrs. E. J. Ponet, which states that Ponet left real and personal property in excess of $10,000. Mrs. Ponet is named executrix without bonds.

Ponet leaves $3000 to various religious organizations, as follows: Sisters of the Good Shepherd, $500; Sisters of Charity of the Orphan Asylum of Los Angeles, $500; Little Sisters of the Poor, $500; Mercy Home, $500; Society of St. Vincent de Paul, $1000.

The property at the northeast corner of Los Angeles and Fifth streets is given in the following proportions to the issues of his deceased brothers, Jean, Herman and Leopold, and to his brothers August and Louis, and his sister, Louise P. America: One-twelfth to the heirs of Jean, one-sixth each to the heirs of Herman, Leopold, August, Louis and Louise, and one-twelfth to his nephew, Victor, of whom he states he was godfather.

The stocks and bonds of the Los Angeles Cemetery Association were bequeathed to his nephew, John P. Ponet. To Rev. William P. Ponet, $500 is bequeathed. A daughter, Mrs. Gertrude P. Montgomery, receives the real property at Nos. 260-264 South Main street, as her separate property. The residue of the estate is given to the widow.

PYTHIAN ANNIVERSARY.

Celebration of Fiftieth Year of the Order Begun Here Last Night. Grand Ball This Evening.

Fifty years ago today the order of Knights of Pythias was organized, and the celebration of the anniversary was begun last night in the Ebell Clubhouse. All the local lodges were present in force, to witness the presentation of degree work by a championship team from Pomona, under the direction of the Grand Chancellor, and representatives were present from lodges throughout Southern California. The principal event in the celebration will be a grand jubilee ball, to be given tonight at Venice, for which special cars will leave the Hill-street station at 7:15 p.m.

ALLEGED LAND SHARKS.

Two Men Arrested on Complaint of Woman Who Says She Was Swindled by Them.

George W. Bowder, an officer of the California Co-operative Alfalfa Land Company, who was arrested Wednesday with D. J. McCauley, was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Forbes yesterday on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses and locked in jail in default of $2000 cash bail.

McCauley is seriously ill at his home and will not be arraigned until March 6. Mrs. Jane E. Wastier alleges in her complaint that Bowder and McCauley sent out a prospectus asserting they owned 1520 acres of land in Tulare county, part of which was under cultivation and was irrigated. These assertions, Deputy District Attorney Bell says, are false. He declared that the company contracted to buy the land, but failed to meet payments. Mrs. Wastier alleges she lost $130 through the two men.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union Office for: E. Burns, Frank W. Burns, F. L. Davis, Miss Helen Davis, T. Drake, S. W. Eves, A. A. Foster (colored,) Allen F. Greenman, N. A. Graves, Mrs. P. M. Geer, U. H. Holden, Roy Hitchcock, L. W. Henderson, F. N. Hayden, A. W. Keevil, O. D. Mansfield, Sego Meisteroff, I. Nicholson, Rev. Thomas Nicholson, Mrs. V. L. Roberts, J. B. Roberts, O. Rodriguez, Cari O. Rodgers, Stuart Severtson, H. P. Tighth, John B. Taylor and V. Thrane.

At the Postal: Victor S. Lorens, Mrs. John Yount, H. C. Churchill, J. Harry Minor, Mrs. E. A. Lobsinger, W. H. Corbett, W. G. Cornell, Miss Carolini Dessior.

The Oil Industry.

EARNINGS DOUBLE FIRST ESTIMATES.

STANDARD'S ANNUAL STATEMENT WELL RECEIVED.

Stock Shows Strength on New York Curb—Outlook Is for Thirty Million Net in 1914—Weir and Smith Are Still in This Country—Developments in Simi.

While the effect of the increased earnings of the Standard Oil Company of California had been practically discounted, the stock yesterday on the New York curb nevertheless made a very strong showing, following the publication of the company's annual statement. The close showed a net gain of 3 points, after even a higher opening.

A few months ago it was predicted that the Standard's earnings for this year would total about $10,000,000, but the tremendous success which the company had with its production the last few months was not taken into account. The real figures were nearly double the early estimates.

With the increase in capital to $100,000,000, which will soon be effected, making possible great extensions in the company's business, it is likely that the earnings for 1914 will be over $30,000,000. The net profits for 1914 were over $12,250,000 larger than the net profits for 1913. At the present rate the company will be in a position easily to maintain its dividends at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum on the $100,000,000 capitalization.

Within a few years the Standard Oil Company of California promises to be the foremost profit-maker of the Standard Oil group.

Still in New York.

Andrew Weir and R. Tilden Smith of the General Petroleum Company are still in New York, but are scheduled to leave shortly for Europe. When the Londoners left this city some three weeks ago they expected to go directly to England.

It is understood that the change in their plans has been brought about by the desire of cementing certain relations which they have in the financial world in this country as a preliminary step toward framing a new deal for the Union Oil Company. It is also believed that incidentally they have been negotiating with Hallgarten & Co. to secure the relinquishment of the negative option which that bond house holds on the control of the Union.

The Hallgarten option, which expires in July of this year, would interfere with the taking of any steps toward consummating a deal before that time.

Oil Notes.

It is reported that the test well of the Hidalgo Oil Company in Simi Valley is producing about 200 barrels of oil a day. The No. 2 well of the Santa Susanna Syndicate is also said to be flowing. The syndicate is getting a fair high-gravity output from its tract in the valley.

The current report that the Standard Oil Company has announced that it will pay 45 cents a barrel for heavy oil appears to lack foundation. It was stated in connection with the report that the announcement was made in the company's bulletin. The February number of this publication has not been issued, while the January number contains no such announcement, as stated in the report.

The Standard Oil Company's eight-inch pipe line for Fullerton-Whittier oil district to El Segundo will be ready to transport oil within a week or so. One of the six-inch lines at present in operation will be used to carry gas to the refinery for use as fuel.

It is expected to effect quite a saving in this fashion.

The production of the big Standard gusher on the Emery lease is gradually falling off to 7000 barrels a day.

Accident.

BROKEN GLASS SLITS EYELID.

MOTOR CAR CRASHES INTO AN AUTO DRIVEN BY WOMAN.

Confusion Caused by Inbound Car Running on Outbound Track Results in Man Receiving Injuries Which May Endanger Sight of Left Eye.

Confusion resulting from an inbound street car running on the outbound track caused a motor car accident at Pasadena avenue and Avenue 20 Tuesday evening in which R. J. Busch, manager of the Busch men's furnishing store at Second street and Broadway, received injuries that have endangered the sight of his left eye. He was thrown against the frame of the motor car top, his eye glasses broken, and the glass forced into his eye.

The broken glass slit the upper eyelid. On account of the swelling, physicians were unable yesterday to ascertain the extent of the injury to the eyeball.

Mrs. Busch was driving the car at the time of the accident. She was proceeding out Pasadena avenue and saw a motor car standing near the curb. When she turned around the motor car a street car, running toward town on the wrong track, crashed into the Busch auto.

The Busch motor car was wrecked but the occupants were not thrown out. The two wheels next the street car were crushed and the springs and fender broken. Mrs. Busch was not injured.

Busch is at the Hollenbeck, where he was taken after the accident. The Busch home is in Altadena.

"I have been driving a motor car over that route almost daily for two years and that is the first time that I ever saw a street car running on the wrong track," Mrs. Busch said yesterday at the Hollenbeck. "The motor car standing by the curb prevented me from seeing the car approaching. I knew that there was a car on that track, but supposed, of course, that it was running in the usual direction."

You Are Invited

to attend the free lecture and cooking lessons at The Times School of Domestic Science, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 2 p.m., second floor, New Times Building.

FORTUNATE is the man who owns a good Valencia grove in Tustin.

Grain.

WEAKNESS OF CEREALS.

BEARS SQUEEZE PRICES DOWN IN ALL LINES.

Slump in the Export Business Takes the Strength Out of Wheat. Expectation of Shipments from Argentina Now that Harvest Has Begun There Lowers Corn.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Flattening out of export business today took the edge off the market for wheat. Prices at the close were steady, but ¼@¾ to ⅛@⅜ under last night. Corn finished ⅛@⅜ down, oats off ⅛@⅜, and provisions varying from unchanged figures to a decline of 2½@5. Discouragement for the wheat bulls came early. Liverpool quotations being unexpensive to yesterday's advance on this side. Beginning of the corn harvest in Argentina, implying shipments of the new crop soon from that country, had a bearish influence on the price of the cereal here. Covering by shorts gave oats at first an appearance of independent strength. In the end, however, the market suffered a setback with other grain. Buyers backed away from providence because of the weakness of cereals. Confidence of holders was somewhat unsettled, too, by the increase shown in hog packing since November 1, as compared with a year ago.

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Following are quotations posted at Grain Exchange yesterday:

	Bid.	Asked.
Wheat—		
Utah white, mill. (bulk)	....	$1.70
Utah white feed (sacked)	....	1.63
Sonstem, mill.	....	1.68
Fortyfold	....	1.70
No. 1 mill	....	1.67½
P. A. C. Club	1.62¼	1.67½
Kansas, No. 2, hard (bulk)	....	2.01
Corn—		
California, No. 1, feed	1.17½	1.20
Portland standard	....	1.27½
Oats—		
Portland standard	....	1.42½
Bran—		
White, Utah-Idaho	....	26.50
Mixed, Utah-Idaho	....	24.50
White local	....	25.00
Red local	....	23.50
Oats, middlings	....	20.50
Miscellaneous—		
Charcoal	....	30.50
Cracked corn	....	1.60
White oats, chopped	....	19.00
Cottonseed meal	....	25.50

Reported receipts were as follows (in cars): Wheat, 8; barley, 7; flour, 8; seed, 7.

Chicago Grain Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 119 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Following is range of quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	94⅝	94⅝	94⅛	**.94⅜
July	.90⅝	.90⅝	.90¼	*.90⅝
Corn—				
May	.66⅜	.66⅝	.66	*.66
July	.65⅝	.65⅝	.65⅛	**.65⅛
September	.65	.65⅜	.64⅝	.64⅝
Oats—				
May	.40	.40⅜	.39⅞	*.39⅞
July	.39⅞	.39⅞	.39¼	**.39⅜
Pork—				
May	21.77	21.82	21.70	*21.70
July	21.82	21.82	21.75	**21.75
Lard—				
May	10.95	10.95	10.90	**10.92
July	11.15	11.15	11.10	**11.10
Ribs—				
May	11.62	11.62	11.55	**11.57
July	11.75	11.77	11.70	**11.72

*Bid. **Asked.

Chicago Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Close: Wheat—May, 94⅝; July, 90⅝. Corn—May, 66; July, 65¼. Oats—May, 39⅝; July, 39⅛. Pork—May, 21.70; July, 21.75. Lard—May, 10.92½; July, 11.10. Ribs—May, 11.57½; July, 11.73¼. Cash corn—No. 2, 66@67; No. 3, white, 64@64½; No. 3, yellow, 63¼@64. Rye—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 60. Barley—50@72. Timothy—3.75@5.25. Clover—12.00@14.50.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat—Firm, unchanged.

METAL MARKET.
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 119 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

London copper opened dull, with spot at £65 2s 6d, unchanged, and futures at £62 12s 6d, off 1s 3d. Tin opened weak, with spot at £179, off 2s, and futures at £180 10s, off £2. Lead was at £196 10s, up 2s 6d. Copper closed easy, with spot at £63 2s 6d, and futures at £60 10s, off 2s 6d. Tin closed easy, with spot at £178 15s, off 5s, and futures at £180 2s 6d, off 7s 6d. Spelter was at £21 7s 6d, unchanged.

In New York copper was dull, at 14.12½@14.50. Tin was weak, at 39.00@39.40. Lead was at 3.95@4.05, and spelter at 5.80@5.40.

The demand for copper is fair. Europeans bought in good volume recently, and domestic consumers have been more interested. Both are now in a position to rest on their oars for a while. Big sellers are holding price of thirty-day electrolytic at 14.12½ cents.

DENVER, Feb. 18.—The Daly West meeting was only a formal one. It lasted about ten minutes and nothing of importance was done.

Boston Copper Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchange, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—The market was weak in the early trading today, owing more to bearish operations than real liquidation. As was expected, the demand on the decline was good and prices later advanced easily. On a published statement that President Wilson would urge a more speedy settlement of the freight rate question the market gained sharply, but was raided in the last half-hour on a report of a denial by the President of any such action. The close was firm.

Close:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Adv.	1⅝	2
Ahmeek	290	300
Alaska	22⅜	23⅜
Allouez	42⅜	43
Algoma	1¼	1⅜
Am. Pneu.	....	....
Com.	8½	8⅝
Do. pfd.	20½	21
Am. Zinc	19⅜	20⅛
Arcadian	5⅝	5¾
Ariz. Com.	5⅛	5 5-16
Baltic	1 15-16	2
B. & Riy	41	43½
Bingle	1	⅛
Bohemia	1⅜	1⅝
B. & Bait.	1⅜	1½
B. & Lon.	32	33
B. & Sup.	36⅛	36⅝
Cactus	1	1¼
Calumet	1¼	1 5-16
C. & Ariz.	68⅛	68⅝
C. & H.	450	460
Centen.	18	18½
Chief Cons.	1 1-16	1⅛
Chino	42⅜	42⅝
Cop. Rg.	39⅝	40
Daly West	2⅛	2
Davis Daly	2	2⅛
E. Butte	12	12½
Ely Cons.	3	3⅛
C. & C.	13	13⅛
Cop. Mines	3⅜	3⅝
Verda	45	55
Franklin	⅞	1
Giroux	⅝	1⅛
Granby	86½	87
G. Cananea	39½	40⅛
G. Cons.	1 1-16	1⅛
Hancock	21¾	21⅞
Helvitia	45	75
Houghton	3¼	4
Hol. Com.	46½	47⅛
Do. pfd.	86	87
Indiana	5⅛	5⅜
Insp.	16⅝	17⅛
I. Royale	22⅜	22⅝
Kerr Lake	4⅜	4⅝
Keweenah	4⅝	4⅞
Lake Cop.	9⅛	9⅜
La Salle	57⅛	57⅝
Mason Val.	3½	4
Mass. Cop.	3¼	3⅛

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Mass. Gas	....	....
Com.	94	94⅛
Do. pfd.	92	93
Majestic	29	30
Mayflower	78	80
Miami	23⅝	24
Michigan	2¼	2⅜
Mck. Dar.	1 5-16	1⅜
Mohawk	45	45⅜
Nev. Cons.	10⅛	10⅜
Niplssing	6 5-16	6 7-16
Corbin	1⅛	1⅜
Crown	1⅜	1⅝
Blue Bull	92	100
Osceo	1⅜	1⅝
N. Butte	20⅛	20⅜
Nev. Doug.	1⅞	2
N. Lake	2⅜	2½
Ohio	32	33
O. Dom.	53⅛	53⅝
Old Col.	4⅛	4⅜
Osceola	82	83
Quincy	67	69⅛
Ray Cons.	20	20⅛
Raven	11	14
Santa Fe	2	2⅛
Shannon	7	7⅛
Shattuck	20⅝	22
S. & Bos.	2⅛	2⅜
Sup. Cop.	31¼	31⅝
S. P. Co.	107	107⅛
Sulphur	6⅞	8⅛
Tamarack	40	40⅜
Trinity	4⅛	5
Tuolumne	60	63
Utah Con.	13⅛	13⅝
U.S.M.	....	....
S. Com.	42⅜	42⅝
Sup. Cop.	48⅛	48⅝
U. Fruit	169	170
U.S. Shoe	....	....
M. Com.	55⅛	55⅝
Do. pfd.	28⅛	28⅝
Victoria	1⅞	1⅝
Winona	4⅛	4⅜
Wolverine	47	48
Wy'dotte	99	112
Yukon	2⅜	2½
B. & M.	44	45
Oilway	1⅛	2
Pond Cr.	18⅝	19
S.W. Miami	2	3
Stewart	1⅛	1⅜

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Copper—Quiet; standard spot and April, 14.12½@14.50; electrolytic, 14.87½; lake, nominal; casting, 14.62½@14.75. Tin—Weak; spot, $39.00@39.40; May, $39.00@39.35. Antimony—Dull; Cookson's, 7.75. Iron—Quiet, unchanged. Lead—Quiet, 3.95@4.05; London, £19, 10s. Spelter—Easy, 5.80@5.40; London, £21 7s 6d.

METAL MARKETS.

COPPER.

NEW YORK Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Standard Copper, quiet; Spot, 14.12½@14.50. Electrolytic, 14.87½. Lake, nominal. Casting, 14.62½@14.75.

LEAD.

NEW YORK Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Lead, quiet. New York, 3.95@4.05.

SILVER.

NEW YORK Feb. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Bar silver, 57½.

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 18.

Steamer Lyra, Capt. McDonald, from Balboa.
Steamer Columbia, Capt. Allen, from San Diego.
Steamer Willipa, Capt. Johnson, from Redondo Beach.
Steamer Daisy Gadsby, Capt. Ross, from Willapa.

SAILED—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 18.

Steamer Congress, Capt. Cousins, for San Diego.
Steamer Columbia, Capt. Allen, for Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Raymond, Capt. Kittleson, for Santa Barbara.
Steamer Wallender, Capt. Lindquist, for Redondo Beach.
Steamer Washtenaw, Capt. Roger, for San Jose de Guatemala.
Steamer Rosalie Mahoney, Capt. Hutton, for Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Temple E. Dorr, Capt. Johnson, for Gray's Harbor.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

All passenger steamers call at San Francisco to and from ports farther north.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Name of vessel.	Steamship line.
Feb. 19	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 19	San Diego, Congress	Pacific Coast
Feb. 19	Gray's Harbor, Norwood	West Coast
Feb. 20	Portland, Klamath	West Coast
Feb. 20	Willapa, Santa Barbara	West Coast
Feb. 20	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 21	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 22	Portland, Rose City	A. P. & Portland
Feb. 22	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 23	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 23	Portland, Yucatan	North Pacific
Feb. 24	San Francisco, Hanalei	Independent
Feb. 24	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 24	Seattle, President	Pacific Coast
Feb. 24	San Diego, Yucatan	North Pacific
Feb. 25	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 26	Portland, Bear	A. P. & Portland
Feb. 26	San Diego, President	Pacific Coast
Feb. 27	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific Navigation

TO SAIL.

Date.	For—Name of vessel.	Steamship line.
Feb. 19	Seattle, Congress	Pacific Coast
Feb. 20	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 20	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 21	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 22	Portland, Rose City	A. P. & Portland
Feb. 22	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 23	San Francisco, Hanalei	Independent
Feb. 23	San Diego, Yucatan	North Pacific
Feb. 24	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 24	Portland, Yucatan	North Pacific
Feb. 24	San Diego, President	Pacific Coast
Feb. 25	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 26	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Feb. 26	Seattle, President	Pacific Coast
Feb. 27	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation

IN PORT.

Steamer Cabrillo, at Banning wharf.
Barkentine Fremont, outer harbor.
Schooner yacht Edris, outer harbor.
Steamer Siskiyou, E. K. Wood Lumber Co.
Steamer Argyle, P. F. slip.
Steamer Yale, Pacific Navigation Co.
Steamer Alcatraz, So. Cal. Lumber Co.
Steamer Bee, Con. Lumber Co.
Steamer O. M. Clark, So. Cal. Lumber Co.
Steamer Temple E. Dorr, S. P. slip.
Steamer Daisy Putnam, S. P. slip.
Steamer Willapa, S. P. slip.
Steamer Lyra, F. W. & S. Co.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer Multnomah, Portland, loading.
Steamer San Gabriel, Umpqua River, loading.
Steamer Falcon, Everett, sailed Feb. 17.
Steamer Wallace, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer Shasta, Bellingham, sailed Feb. 17.
Steamer Solano, Willapa, sailed Feb. 17.
Steamer Wasp, Portland, loading.
Steamer Carmel, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Mandalay, Crescent City, loading.
Steamer Grace Clark, Seattle, sailed Feb. 14.
Steamer William Chatham, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer Francis H. Leggett, Gray's Harbor, sailed Feb. 15.
Steamer Santa Barbara, Gray's Harbor, sailed Feb. 15.
Steamer Edgar H. Vance, Astoria, loading.
Steamer General Hubbard, Astoria, loading.
Steamer Speedwell, Bandon, loading.
Steamer Daisy Gadsby, Willapa, sailed Feb. 13.
Steamer Santa Barbara, Willapa, sailed Feb. 13.
Steamer Claremont, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Helen P. Drew, Greenwood, loading.
Steamer Olympic, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Norwood, Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco, sailed Feb. 17.
Steamer Klamath, Portland, sailed Feb. 13.
Steamer A. M. Simpson, Coos Bay, sailed Feb. 14.
Steamer Navajo, Gray's Harbor, sailed Feb. 15.

TO AND FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British steamer Crown of Toledo, Antwerp, via Santos, sailed Jan. 28.
British steamer Lord Lonsdale, Antwerp, sailed Jan. 29.
British steamer Crown of Galicia, Antwerp, sailed Jan. 7.
German steamer Sebara, Genoa, sailed Jan. 17.
German steamer Sakkarah, Hamburg, loading.
British steamer Architect, Antwerp, sailed Feb. 4.
Steamer Fiesole, Belize, loading.
German steamer Menes, Hamburg, via Honolulu, loading.
German steamer Salatis, sailed Jan. 31.
British steamer Hazel Dollar, Manila, via Hong Kong, Feb. 4.
Norwegian steamer Jason, Manzanillo, sailed Feb. 9.
German steamer Seraphs, Hamburg, loading.
American steamer Santa Cruz, New York, via Magellan Straits, sailed Jan. 29.
British steamer Barnsmoor, Newcastle, Eng., sailed Feb. 10.
British steamer Benefactor, Antwerp, loading.

SAN PEDRO TIDE TABLE.

Thursday,	Feb. 19....	4:29	12:22	7:43	....
		5.7	−0.2	3.9	....
Friday,	" 20....	12:02	6:07	1:37	8:14
		3.7	0.0	−0.5	4.2
Saturday,	" 21....	12:58	7:01	2:13	8:40
		3.2	0.0	−0.4	4.5
Sunday,	" 22....	1:49	7:44	2:48	9:03
		2.6	0.4	−0.0	4.7
Monday,	" 23....	2:19	8:21	3:09	9:29
		1.7	0.4	−0.5	4.9
Tuesday,	" 24....	2:48	8:54	3:32	9:48
		1.2	0.6	−0.5	5.0
Wed'day,	" 25....	3:16	9:25	3:52	10:09
		0.9	0.9	−0.3	5.1
Thursday,	" 26....	3:49	9:56	4:12	10:31
		0.8	1.0	−0.0	5.2

NOTE—In the above tabulation of tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand tide column, and succeeding tides of the day occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth tide occurring on the following morning.

FERRIES.

For East San Pedro: Launch leaves foot of Fifth street every fifteen minutes, day and night.

For Terminal: Launch leaves foot of Fifth street every half hour from 6:15 a.m. to 11:45 p.m.

AVALON, SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

Leave.	Steamer Hermosa.	Arrive.
10:00 a.m.		6:00 p.m.

HARBOR ITEMS.

The Luckenbach steamer Lyra arrived today from Balboa and will proceed to San Francisco tomorrow night after discharging 900 tons of New York freight for Los Angeles merchants.

Steam schooner Willapa arriving today with lumber were the Columbia from San Diego and the Willapa from Redondo with partial cargoes and the Daisy Gadsby from Willapa. The Columbia proceeded with passengers to Gray's Harbor via San Francisco in ballast to reload.

Other departures of the lumber fleet were the Temple E. Dorr for Gray's Harbor in ballast and the Raymond for Santa Barbara, Wallesley for Redondo Beach and Rosalie Mahoney for San Diego with partial cargoes.

The Union Oil tanker, Washtenaw, sailed today for San Jose de Guatemala with a full cargo of fuel oil, the first cargo exported to Central America from this port.

NORTHERN SHIPPING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 18.—Arrived: Steamers Catriana, Manatlan; El Lobo, Lobitas; Willamette, Santa Clara, Harvard, Beaver, San Pedro. Departed: Steamers Harvard, San Diego; Marshfield, Klamath, San Pedro.

TURPENTINE AND ROSIN.
SAVANNAH QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAVANNAH (Ga.) Feb. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Turpentine, dull, 45; no sales; receipts, 68; shipments, 68; stocks, 50,706. Rosin, firm; sales, 2180; receipts, 620; shipments, 1580; stocks, 188,640. Quote: AB, 3.92½@4.00; CDE, 3.95@4.05; F, 3.95@4.07½; GH, 3.95@4.10; I, 4.12½@4.50; K, 4.40; M, 5.25; N, 6.25; WG, 6.40; WW, 6.50.

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SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

It was decided yesterday to advertise for sale the entire remaining unsold part of the $2,500,000 harbor improvement bonds. New work at the harbor requires at least a half million dollar outlay. The Harbor Commission has just ordered important developments at the port.

The Public Service Committee of the Council yesterday listened to arguments in favor of the city bringing suit against former Mayor Fred Eaton to determine title to lands in Long Valley, but decided to stand by the advice of City Attorney Stephens, who declares the city could not expect to win such a suit.

The first conference toward raising the liquor license fees was held by a special Council committee yesterday. It is expected a new schedule will be completed within two weeks. It is probable the saloon license fees will be doubled.

The power companies have been given ten days more in which to make a final answer to the city in regard to leasing their power distributing systems to the municipality.

The contest over a wealthy Bangor (Me.) lumberman's will closed yesterday after a thirty-days' trial and the jury is expected to receive the case this afternoon and determine whether he was insane when he willed his $600,000 estate to his young nieces, to the exclusion of his widow and third wife and his two sons by his first wife.

At the City Hall.

BIG MOVEMENTS FOR HARBOR.

AID REMAINING BONDS TO BE OFFERED FOR SALE.

Commission Has Immediate Use for Half Million Dollars to Carry on Developments for Greater Commerce—President Woodman Orders New Work on Wharves.

President Whiffen of the City Council, who is also head of the Finance Committee, conferred yesterday with the Harbor Commission, and it was decided that the entire remaining portion of the $2,500,000 harbor improvement bond issue shall be offered for sale to the highest bidders.

Several applications for information regarding these bonds have been made recently by prominent bond houses, and it is believed that offers will be received for at least the major portion of the bonds yet unsold.

The Harbor Commission has immediate use for at least a half million dollars, in order to carry on development at the municipal wharves, to accommodate increased commerce. It wants to build the transit shed for the Water-street wharf at the earliest possible date, and to complete the boulevard from Fourteenth street northerly. It also has plans in hand for the improvement of municipal wharf No. 1 and other features that will easily require $500,000.

With the return of President Woodman to official duties, after an absence of about three weeks, caused by illness, plans were put into action yesterday for further activities at the Los Angeles harbor. Harbor Engineer Jubb was instructed to immediately complete the plans for a two-story shed at the fishermen's wharf, for the use of wholesalers. This structure is to be built by force account, and will cost from $4000 to $5000. It is to be eighty feet wide and 260 feet long. Work on construction will be started within ten days. Five wholesale fish dealers are now doing business at this wharf.

Work has also been started on the construction of a paved highway eighty feet wide on Fourteenth and San Pedro streets to the Huntington fill. This will give a paved highway clear to the outer harbor.

At municipal wharf No. 1 about nine-tenths of the piles for the wharf have been placed and at least two-thirds of the concrete wharf is decked, while the foundations for the sheds are to be placed as soon as possible. The work has advanced to the point where filling behind the wharf must begin. This is to be carried on in conjunction with the cutting through of the highway from San Pedro and Fourteenth streets.

It is estimated that $330,000 will be required to put municipal wharf No. 1 into proper condition for accommodating all classes of traffic. This includes the cost of constructing the freight transit sheds and the necessary approaches. The transit sheds on municipal wharf No. 1 will be 100x13,000 feet.

The transit sheds on the Mormon Island channel wharf, to be used by the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, will be completed within thirty days, and it is expected that by that time the ships of this line will be tying up there.

The Harbor Commission is particularly anxious to have this work completed, as it estimates that it is losing $1000 a month because the wharf is not available. The Alta Planing Mill Company has the contract for this work, and is subject to a forfeiture of $100 per day for all time used in excess of its contract limitations.

CANDIDATES HERE. EFFICIENCY EXPERTS.

The city is at last in the way of acquiring an expert head for its Efficiency Bureau. Four candidates for the position, selected from the many who aspired to the place, have arrived here, and tomorrow they will submit to the oral examinations to be conducted by the Civil Service Commission. The man rating highest will step into the position that will pay a salary of $4000 a year.

The candidates are Ward R. Robinson, efficiency director of Springfield, Ill.; Jesse D. Burks of the department of Municipal Research of Philadelphia; Samuel E. Stout and E. O. Greifenhagen, civil service experts of Chicago. These four stood the highest among the twelve applicants who took the preliminary examination and submitted theses on municipal subjects.

A vast amount of data has been secured by the Municipal Efficiency Commission for the immediate consideration of the head of the department. All city employees have been classified, and the first and most important work at hand will be the standardization of salaries and a reclassification of the work in various departments.

NOTHING DOING. ON EATON LAW SUIT.

The Public Service Committee of the Council will recommend to that body that it abide by the opinion of City Attorney Stephens and that no suit be instituted against former Mayor Fred Eaton to determine the title to lands in Long Valley now held at Eaton, and acquired during negotiations for lands for the Los Angeles aqueduct.

The committee gave a hearing yesterday to persons who are interested in having the city start a suit. The report of the City Attorney was read, in which he stated that he concurred in the opinion of former City Attorney John W. Shenk in that the city has not sufficient grounds on which to expect to win a decision in its favor.

H. A. Hart, former member of the aqueduct investigating board, reviewed the statements that are reported in its findings, and he was supported in his arguments by Ingle Carpenter.

City Attorney Stephens made a brief statement of his position. He declared that he had given careful consideration to all evidence available, but could not see his way clear to change his opinion.

"I have been advised by some people whose opinion I highly value, and others whose opinion I do not value at all, that in view of the Aqueduct Investigation Commission's report I should advise the institution of this suit. I do not consider it my duty so to do.

"In view of the explanations that have come to me from the very people we have to put on the stand, I do not believe that we could be successful in such a suit. The matter of policy as to whether it is worth while to open up the subject through a suit in order to explain the situation to the people is one that must rest with the Council. I do not consider it my duty to advise a suit when I view the situation as I do.

"I have delayed this opinion three or four months because a certain man in whom I have much confidence believed he could obtain special information of advantage to the city, but he failed."

Hart declared that if the City Attorney was convinced that a suit by th city would be futile there were other attorneys who were willing to undertake it.

"No doubt of that," replied Councilman Betkouski, "but they are after the fees. If any attorney wants to undertake it at his own expense, let him go to it."

Councilman Conwell declared that he has the utmost confidence in Attorneys Mathews, Hewitt, Shenk and Stephens, and in Chief Engineer Mulholland, and that he believed the only course for the Council to pursue was to be guided by the advice of the City Attorney.

READJUSTING FEES. FOR LIQUOR PERMITS.

Within the ensuing two weeks the special committee appointed by the City Council to prepare a new schedule for liquor permit fees expects to complete its work. The first conference on this subject was held yesterday afternoon by Councilmen Conwell, Wheeler and Williams, with Chief of Police Sebastian. The meeting was an executive session, as the Councilmen believe they can better work out their plans in this manner than if those interested in the sale of liquors are given admission.

President Whiffen of the City Council some months ago advocated doubling the permit and license fees, and every member of the Council believes that with the limit of only 200 saloons and the great increase in population the liquor business should pay a much higher tax than at present.

It is probable that the committee will also consider the rearrangement of the boundaries of liquor zone No. 1. Several members of the Council are in favor of curtailing the territory in the north and adding new territory on the south, to include the business district that has developed within the past few years, and since the present boundaries of the zone were fixed.

Many Dead Ordinances.

Mayor Rose has been giving attention to the penal ordinances of the city, and stated yesterday that he believes there are several thousand such ordinances that could be eliminated. He believes the penal ordinances should be codified, and it is probable provision will be made in the next budget for this work.

Ten Days to Answer.

The final answer of the power companies to the city's proposition to lease the distributing plants for the purpose of distributing power to be generated by the aqueduct power project must be given within ten days from last Monday. Thus the special negotiating committee of the City Council decided yesterday.

An extension of ten days' time was asked by representatives of the power companies, in order that they might receive from the attorneys of the bond trustees an opinion upon the contract submitted by the city, and to consider reports from their engineers on matters pertaining to the lease of the distributing systems.

Members of the Negotiating Committee feel confident that the power companies will agree to the leasing of the distributing systems."

Chutuk Gets Contract.

The Board of Public Works decided yesterday to award to Joe Chutuk the contract for constructing the sewer in Wilton place and other streets, although there were irregularities in his bid, in that he did not specify that the offer included paving, repaving and guttering. Chutuk filed a letter with the Board in which he declared that his bid was a lump sum for the entire work. As the offer is $1164.10 lower than the next lowest bidder made, the Board decided that it should be accepted.

Will Visit Orange Show.

The members of the City Council will go today to San Bernardino as guests of the Chamber of Commerce, to visit the National Orange Show. They leave by special car at 0 o'clock, and for this reason will hold their daily session at 8 o'clock, so as to take care of imperative business.

Plant Things to Eat.

A proposition that is indorsed by the Board of Public Works, but that cannot be put into execution by them because of lack of funds, was that made before the Board yesterday by Mrs. Belle Gochenouer. She suggests that a practicable plan for the use of vacant lots would be have them all planted to things to eat, either for man or beast. Commissioner O'Brien believes this would be a good scheme and more advantage at present than the proposed tree-planting campaign.

"We asked for money to carry out some of these ideas," said O'Brien, "but the Council gave the funds to the Park Department to plant trees that will all be dead before this time next year."

Better Repair Work.

A new ordinance is being prepared by the Board of Public Works to require a better class of work on the part of contractors and public utility corporations in making repairs where streets are opened. The new law will require that refills be tamped solid instead of being settled with water.

Municipal News Notes.

The City Council has set next Wednesday forenoon as the time for hearing protests on the acceptance of work on Johnson street.

Only forty feet were signed to the protest against the opening of West Sixteenth street, between Pacific and Normandie avenues, although the entire street frontage is 9130 feet. The City Council yesterday denied the protest.

Mission Road is to be paved to a width of sixty feet from Gallardo street to Baldwin street. The Council yesterday denied the protest, which lacked 165 feet of having a majority of the frontage. The protestants wanted only a twenty-five-foot strip paved, claiming that the property is not of sufficient value to justify the expense of the wider paving.

The City Council yesterday confirmed the appointment of Frank Rademacher, J. J. Malone, David Brian, Leslie Phipps and H. N. Welton as members of the recently created Board of Mechanical Engineers. Councilman Wheeler voted with the other members of the Council to confirm, although he declared that he didn't agree with the action of the committee of the whole in the programme adopted.

The City Council yesterday referred to the Public Works Committee the majority protest on the widening of West First street to 120 feet. C. C. Jones appeared to ask that proceedings be started to pave the street at its present width of 83½ feet. The subject will be discussed this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

At the Courthouse.

WILL CONTEST BEING ARGUED.

HOLYOKE'S ESTATE DECISION UP TO JUDGE AND JURY.

Mass of Testimony Now Being Put in Concrete Form and Determination as to Who Is Entitled to Fortune Will Be Outcome of Verdict.

A mass of testimony presented in the Holyoke will contest during the thirty days' trial before Judge Houser and a jury will be put in concrete form by the various attorneys today and the case will then go to the jury to determine whether at the time Frank H. Holyoke, the wealthy Maine lumberman, executed his will, August 9, 1911, he was of sound and disposing mind.

The proponents of the will argued yesterday for a directed verdict in favor of the will, but Judge Houser denied the notion, holding that the jury should pass on the facts.

Under the will the $600,000 estate is given to Madeline and Marjorie Holyoke, twins, and nieces of Frank H. Holyoke. The third wife and widow, Mrs. Cora Holyoke, was cut off with $1000, and the two sons by the first wife, Sydney, the contestant, and Harry Holyoke, with $100 each.

The testimony showed that the sons and their father had been strangers for years; that Holyoke charged his wife with misconduct with the chauffeur, and that he quarreled with Mrs. Annie Marston of Pasadena, his foster sister.

A sensation was sprung during the trial when Mrs. Holyoke produced a confession signed by her husband, retracting all the charges against her, a letter practically a will in her favor, and a letter in which Attorney Hahn was directed to give her $5000.

In order to prove that Holyoke never signed these documents two handwriting experts were called who pronounced them forgeries. Other handwriting experts called by the contestant said they were genuine. Medical experts were called who gave it as their opinion that Holyoke was of sound mind; other physicians declared from the facts presented that Holyoke was of unsound mind.

In the arguments today one side will take the stand that Holyoke was a shrewd business man, whose mind was clear at the time he wrote his will. They will show that he received no filial affection from his sons, and had good cause to cut off his wife.

The attorneys for the contestant will endeavor to show that Holyoke was an excessive drinker; that he was impious toward the church and vilified the character of his third wife and widow, his sister-in-law; had a row with the Marstons and denounced almost everybody during his long career. Just before he died they will attempt to show that he was in no position to determine what kind of property he had or to whom he would give it.

The array of legal lights includes former Senator Flint and Attorneys Jutton and Harding for the contestant; Attorneys Hahn and former Judge Stearns of Massachusetts for the nieces.

RELIED UPON DEATH. COURT HOLDS CONTRACT VOID.

At Goldfield September 1, 1907, Olive J. Findlay and Samuel M. Warmbath pledged their troth. No time was fixed for the wedding, and when Warmbath asked to postpone the ceremony uptil after the death of his mother, she agreed. Mrs. Warmbath died in 1913, but, alas, Warmbath declined to marry Miss Findlay and added insult to injury by marrying another woman.

Miss Findlay brought suit against Warmbath for breach of promise, fixing the balm to her wounded feelings at $10,000. Warmbath demurred to the complaint in Judge Morrison's court and after looking up authorities, he found an analogous case in a decision of the Appellate Court.

Under Judge Morrison's judgment sustaining the demurrer, Miss Findlay's case is thrown out of court. He held that a contract to marry made dependant upon the death of another is contrary to public policy. For this reason Miss Findlay's action could not be maintained.

"God alone can tell whether a promise to marry upon the death of a third party will become potent as a personal contractual duty during the lifetime of either of the parties to it," said the Appellate Court.

PATROLMAN ACQUITTED. FALSE ARREST IS NOT PROVED.

Former Patrolman H. L. Varey, charged with falsely arresting Louis Rosenthal, May 29, 1913, was acquitted by a jury yesterday afternoon in Judge Craig's court. Two other indictments against Varey are pending.

He will probably be tried on the two remaining counts returned by the grand jury. When the case came up before the grand jury Varey testified that he had no evidence upon which to make the arrest of Rosenthal. The arrest, according to the prosecution was merely a piece of spite-work upon the part of Varey. Varey was suspended from the police force after several charges had been filed against him with the Police Commission.

PEEVED AT COURT. ATTORNEY QUITS CASE.

A check for $1780, drawn by J. C. Dysart on the Security Savings Bank to the order of S. F. Owens and indorsed by Owens on the order of Judge Wilbur, led to the withdrawal of Attorney Dunnigan from the case yesterday. Dunnigan was associated with John L. Fleming as counsel for Owens, and he did not think the court should have made the order, inasmuch as the check was indorsed in full payment for Owens's property involved in the suit and worth $7500.

The check was taken by Clerk Merrill to Cashier Lampton in the County Clerk's office and without waiting for lunch Lampton hurried through the rain to the bank to get the cash only to be met with the statement that there were no funds. The dishonored check was returned to the court and became an exhibit.

Owens brought suit against Dysart to set aside a deed, alleging that the deed had never been delivered. The deed was given in a verbal deal betwen Dysart and Owens. The latter is well advanced in years. He testified the agreement was that Dysart would pay $1600 cash and the balance was to be secured by a first mortgage. He alleged Dysart gave him worthless notes procured by fraud and that later Dysart put a mortgage on the property covered by a trust deed.

SUIT WITHIN A SUIT. BUILDING LAPS OVER 7 INCHES.

A suit which contained a suit within a suit was tried by Judge Shenk yesterday. The story as it was evolved by the testimony appears to be that Mrs. Adelphi Arthur sold the Zephyr apartments on lot 9, Venice of America, to Warren E. Stansbury. He discovered that the building encroached about seven inches on lot 10, and brought suit against Mrs. Arthur.

Mrs. Arthur settled the case for $500, buying the seven-inch strip from the adjoining property owner. She then brought suit against E. Rabin, who had sold her the property in 1906, alleging misrepresentation and asking damages in the sum of $626.

MONEY TO WIDOW. CHILDREN TO SHARE ESTATE.

A condition of the will of John R. Berryman, who died on the 6th inst., leaving an estate of $51,000 to his wife, Mary A. Berryman, during her lifetime, is that if she remarries one-half of the estate becomes her own and the other half goes to the children, share and share alike. If she does not remarry, the property goes to the children in equal shares after her death.

Berryman resided at No. 125 North Cypress avenue, West Alhambra. The children are Clara M. Berryman, Clay S. Berryman, Mrs. Olive P. Brady, Philip C. Berryman and John R. Bergman. Deceased was formerly State Librarian of Wisconsin and a compiler of the Wisconsin State statutes. At one time he was an instructor at the University of Southern California.

CAN'T FIND HUSBAND. REASON—HE'S A GAMBLER.

Probably as a reason why Mrs. Rebecca Glass could not find her husband, Samuel Glass, to serve summons in her divorce suit, Attorney McCarty informed Judge Monroe yesterday that Glass is a gambler. "There are gamblers in California, I have heard," retorted the Court, who instructed McCarty to make further effort to locate Glass. The suit is based on desertion and non-support.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES. NIGHT WATCHMAN ASKS BALM.

An aftermath of the searchlight incident at Huntington Hall, South Pasadena, December 18, which resulted in the arrest of A. N. McAdams and a companion for annoying the girl students, was the filing of a $10,000 damage suit yesterday by Richard A. Robinet, night watchman at the hall, against McAdams and John Doe, for an alleged assault.

Robinet alleges that he was struck, two ribs fractured and his clothes torn during the attempt to eject the young men and that his injuries are permanent. He is represented by Attorney Tyrrell.

COURTHOUSE NOTES. BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

HAS TWO CHANCES. Frank Moriarity, who drinks and thereby failed to provide for his two children, pleaded a chance under probation, but Judge Monroe said nay. He sent him to the chain gang, where he will serve two purposes, namely, work for the county, his pay going to his wife, and abstain from liquor.

WIFE WINS DECREE. Mrs. Lena Waite won a decree of divorce on the ground of desertion from O. C. Waite in Judge Monroe's court yesterday on her cross-complaint. Waite was denied a decree on the same grounds. Alimony of $100 a month was awarded to Mrs. Waite. Waite is in the fruit business. The testimony showed that the couple had separated nine years ago. They have a daughter, Charmion, aged 17 years.

IVY CASE POSTPONED. Mrs. Edith Ivy, who shot and killed her husband, Frank Ivy, September 30, 1913, will be tried for her sanity in Judge Hewitt's court Saturday morning, the case having been continued to that date from yesterday. She is expected to demand a jury trial.

MARRIED IN CHAMBERS. William Maxwell Allen, a schoolmate of Judge York's, enlisted his services yesterday to unite him to Mrs. Alice Lester. The ceremony was performed in chambers, witnessed by Clerk Schuyler Cole.

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WIRES FOR MONEY.

Police Investigating Case Where Man Asserts He Is Held Here For Ransom.

Investigation of an alarm that a man is held in Los Angeles for ransom is made by the police. The man alleged to be held captive is Michael Haitch, a tourist from New Kensington, Pa.

He came here several days ago, liberally supplied with money. Yesterday his sister, in New Kensington, Mrs. Martha Kinsch, received a telegram from him, imploring her to telegraph him $200 at once. From the telegram, the sister decided that her brother was held for ransom here, and wired the money. At the same time she telegraphed the police to rescue her brother.

Detectives have been stationed to watch the telegraph office. Similar cases have occurred here, in which the alarm was merely an effort to raise funds rapidly. The police will give the present case a thorough investigation.

NORTON ARRESTED AGAIN.

James Norton, the young man who killed Henry L. Wheatley, was arrested yesterday, charged with threatening to kill J. A. Stith of No. 1717 East Ninth place, and was released on bail. Norton killed Wheatley because, as he alleges, Wheatley threatened his mother. The threats against Stith are alleged to have been for the same cause.

JUDGE WILBUR REVERSED.

The Supreme Court has reversed the judgment of Superior Judge Wilbur in the suit brought by W. J. Potter and W. E. M. Cole against M. E. Post, to recover $17,600 alleged to be due on account of commissions on the sale of 1250 acres of land owned by Post and located in Los Angeles county. Judge Wilbur found for Potter in the sum of $3540, and for Cole in $3020. The case will be tried again.

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15c Gold Band Goblets
15c Ice Cream Plates
15c Pressed Glass Nappies

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25c Graduate Jugs
25c Water Bottles
25c Footed Jelly
25c Celery Trays
25c Berry Bowls
35c Square Nappies

25c
29c Milk Pitcher, blown
35c Syrup Pitchers
50c Cake Plates, 10-inch
35c Castor Sets, 3 bottles
50c Large Size Vases
35c Catsup Cruets

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